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ATLANTIC SEABOARD LASHED WITH STORM

From Carolina To Maine 60 Mile Gale Lashes Ships

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—From Maine to Carolina swashing breakers, wrecked boats, flooded water front attested the fury of a 60-mile gale which lashed the Atlantic seaboard for twenty four hours, reached its greatest intensity last night, and today is moving southward. Fear is felt for the British ship Westmoreland with eighty men aboard, fourteen miles off the Delaware breakwaters. Many pleasure craft were washed away.

Westmoreland Is In Danger
NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—No word has been received from the British ship Westmoreland, which late yesterday sent out S. O. S. calls from off the coast of Delaware. The Naval Communications Bureau here said today.

The Westmoreland carried a crew of 80 men and officers. The Westmoreland has not been heard from since her S. O. S. calls were received yesterday during the 70-mile gale that swept the sea and coast line from Maine to Florida. The Danish steamer Phoenix picked up three messages from the Westmoreland. One stated that all her life boats had been smashed by the heavy seas and a later one the last received asked that the crew be saved with all possible speed.

All attempts to get into communication with the sinking vessel failed, and it is feared she went down with all hands.

The Westmoreland sailed from Boston Monday for Southern ports. The five-masted brigantine Macerati from New York went on the rocks off Lewes, Del.

The Cape Charles lightship at Norfolk, Va., was blown out to sea when the terrific gale snapped her moorings. She was towed back to safety by a coast guard boat.

The toll of the near hurricane included washed out railroads, wrecked hotels and ruined sea walls and beaches.

The damage will reach thousands of dollars.

SECEDERS WIN MANY GERMAN TOWNS THEY ASSERT

By JOHN DE GANDT
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
PARIS, Oct. 24.—The separatists officially claim control of the following towns in the Rhineland, dispatches from Aix Le Chapelle said today:

Buchum, Mannheim, Crefeld, Ludwigshafen, Ruedelheim, Bonn, Duren, Dietz, Mayen, Prum, Saarlouis, Wiesbaden, Grossegerau, Badens and Mayence.

Leo Deckers, separatist leader at Aix, is quoted by the Matin as declaring "the struggle is extremely hard. It is impossible to make a revolution in a day."

"I believe our success will be final within a week. We have won places which we expected fierce resistance. Duisberg and Bonn, the latter a typical Prussian military citadel, are ours."

The separatist position is described by observers at Aix as "hesitant."

Only about 100 separatists are said to be in the city while the populace is extremely hostile.

The British consul there attempted to induce the besieged separatists to surrender but was unavailing.

Coblentz messages say separatists there seized a castle but were unable to hold it. They abandoned it with the intention of attacking other buildings.

A state of siege is reported to have been proclaimed at Wiesbaden.

Gun Club To Hold Shoot Afternoon Friday

The Mexia Gun Club will have its weekly shoot Friday at 4:30 p. m. There is going to be some lively shooting Friday as some of the members have been getting cocky and made some challenges that they are going to have to back up with actual broken targets.

Mr. W. A. Anderson, who wields a wicked smoke stick (a Winchester) has accepted a challenge from the crack-shoot of the club, L. D. (two-gun) Morrow, who does some pretty fair shootin' and will do a great deal better just as soon as he learns that he will never be a successful shot with the fowling piece that he uses.

Harrie Meek has been having a hard time defending his title but so far he has only had to pay off once, and that to Red Hendon. Mr. Hendon has challenged Meek for a shoot Friday, same having been duly accepted. Its going to be a close shoot if not a tie as both men are excellent shots.

Fred Klotz will attempt to satisfy the cravings of A. Englehard in a friendly bout with the blue rocks. Mr. Englehard is a new member and not very familiar with blue rocks but promises to make it interesting for Mr. Klotz.

Its just a few days now till bird season opens and its a good opportunity to get your old gun limbered up—so bring it out Friday and take a few shots at the blue rocks.

Visitors are cordially invited and royally entertained. Come out and get a smell of gun powder Friday, 20th, 4:30 p. m.

NEW RHINELAND DIRECTORATE NOW BEING FORMED

LONDON, Oct. 21.—The executive committee of the separatist party has elected Herr Matthes and Dr. Dorten to form a directorate government for the new Rhineland Republic, a dispatch from Coblentz said today. The directorate would be vested with full powers.

Matthes would act for the North Rhineland areas and Dorten for the South.

More Letters Are Read in Cook Case

FORT WORTH, Texas, Oct. 21.—Scores of additional letters and circulars were read in the Cook trial. Witnesses told of investing in the company organized by S. E. J. Cox, Houston promoter, and then exchanging the stock for that in the Cook company.

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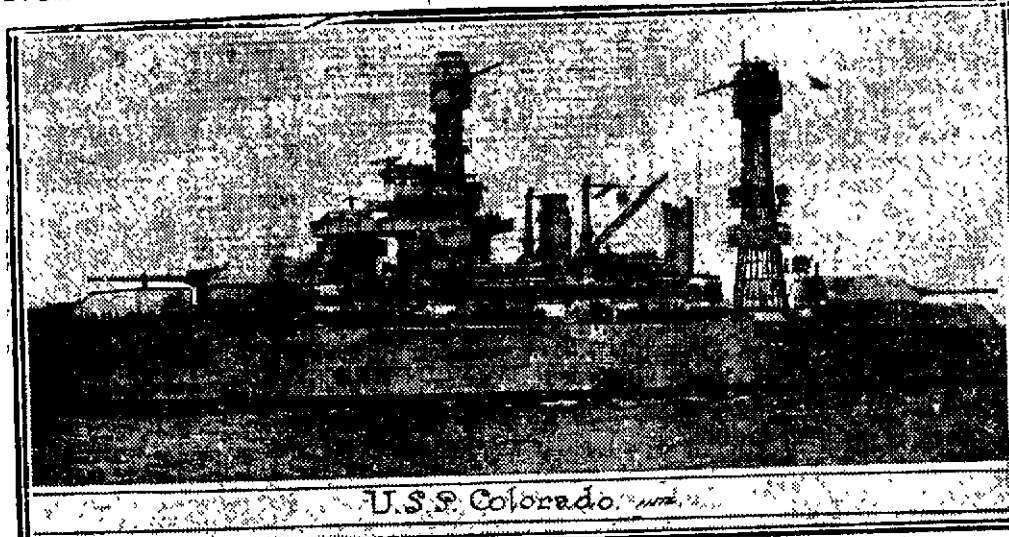
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UNCLE SAM'S MIGHTIEST DREADNOUGHT NEARLY READY



The U. S. S. Colorado, mightiest warship afloat and the last Uncle Sam can build for ten years, under the Naval Disarmament treaty, has reached the Brooklyn (N. Y.) Navy Yard and will remain there for two months, while her fire-control system is being installed. The vessel is 824 feet long, with a normal displacement of 32,600 tons. She is electrically driven, the electricity being generated by oil-burning engines.

Welks Given Death Sentence

Judge Lindsey Says Much Immorality Among Denver Girls

DENVER, Oct. 21.—More than 1000 girls under 17 were illegally operated upon to prevent child birth in Denver within the last year, Judge Den B. Lindsey told the grand jury here. Judge Lindsey said he had personal knowledge of very many cases, and told the jury that the birth rate had been cut at least 50 per cent by such operations.

Judge Lindsey refused to give specific details regarding certain cases.

Cleveland Is Entertaining Lloyd George

By LAWRENCE MARTIN
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
WITH LLOYD GEORGE, PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 21.—Worried by a strenuous day in Cleveland, but more enthusiastic than ever over the prospects of eventual American cooperation with Europe, Lloyd George arrived in Pittsburgh before daylight today.

He was to be allowed to sleep on his private car until his regular breakfast hour and the ceremonies of reception by civic authorities and the many thousands of Irish in this and nearby communities were deferred until 9:30.

His day here was to be spent very largely in rest, preparatory to addressing a public meeting tonight. Following the speech he will leave for Washington, D. C.

Jail Breaker To Pay For Murder In Electric Chair

DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 21.—Stanley, Welks, wounded in an attempted jail break in which Jailer Willis Champion and Chas. Gaines, condemned prisoner, were killed, was assessed the death penalty by a jury following his trial on a murder indictment. Welks' attorneys gave notice that they would ask for a new trial.

Jesse Bradley's 20-Yr Sentence For Murder Is Affirmed

AUSTIN, Oct. 24.—The twenty years sentence assessed against Jesse Bradley, convicted in Limestone county of the murder of Elisha Dowie in June, 1922, was affirmed by the Criminal Court of Appeals.

ALLEYS TO BE PAVED IN THIS CITY SOON

It is learned that plans are now well under way to pave the alleys in the downtown district. It is claimed that this will aid materially in keeping the streets clean and sanitary. The alleys will likely receive 8 inches of concrete, but, as is customary, will not be topped with asphalt.

22 Dead And 200 Wounded In Hamburg

HAMBURG, Oct. 24.—Twenty-two were dead and about 200 wounded in the fighting here yesterday, according to the latest check early today.

Police had recaptured all important police stations seized by Communists in their uprising yesterday.

Desultory firing continued through the night but brought no change in the situation.

Hackney Weaver Test To Spud In Next Week

The Hackney Weaver test, better known as the Cotton Gun test to be drilled by A. P. Shirley et al, of Kansas City is to spud in the early part of the coming week, according to reliable information given out this morning.

The Young well in Freestone has been abandoned, it is learned, at a depth of 3507 feet.

The O. K. well southeast of Teague 6 miles is idle at 3625.

The Green test, 4 miles East of Teague is fishing.

At present it appears that a large number of Mexiaites will witness the game at College Station Thanksgiving. Tickets are selling rapidly. Anyone wanting tickets for seats in the A. & M. section should write at once to College Station and those wanting seats in the Texas University section should write to Austin.

City Fathers Inspecting Cleaning Methods

Mayor Ernest Watson, Commissioners Wilson and Forrest and R. D. Morgan are in Dallas today inspecting street cleaners with the idea of purchasing one to sweep Mexia streets with. The officials are anxious to equip the city with the most modern and economical street cleaning systems. With the end of the paving program in sight, they have decided it wise to act immediately in regard to the matter. Commissioner Rex Forrest has just returned from an automobile trip to Lubbock and visited several of the intervening progressive cities. He has been impressed with sanitary conditions confronted and all the City Fathers are making the trip today with an idea of making Mexia a better and more beautiful place in which to live.

OIL

Powell district of the Mexia oil fields today is yielding better than 300,000 barrels of high grade petroleum. The flow is curtailed to some extent by some of the largest gushers being pinched in.

This will be added to constantly throughout the next thirty days and it now seems that the field will attain the unheard of half a million barrels daily mark before the peak is reached and the new pool defined. At least, that is the way the most optimistic speak of the huge production.

Completion of a number of big wells within the last few days has given oil companies considerable to worry about in caring for the oil. Rail shipments are being rushed, but not enough can be handled in this way as to very greatly relieve the gravity of the situation.

A lull is again experienced in activities generally. Although many drillings are under way and a number of new locations have been made, but several days will be required to hatch out the next big brood of wells. Several new completions always call for numbers of new drillings. Great numbers of completions are registered every few days as coming from an incubator.

The Witherspoon Oil company late Monday completed its Burke No. 8 test good for 2,000 barrels oil a day. This well is on the 87 1/2 acres Burke lease and is located just north of the U. S. Tex Oil corporation's four wells on its 15-acre lease. This territory was the first to be drilled on following the completion of the Hughes-McKie gusher May 8. The U. S. Tex brought in the first well following the Hughes-McKie. The Witherspoon company has a total of eight wells and several others drilling.

The passing over of Article one, of the twenty-two committee charges for later consideration and the immediate roll call upon Article Two was a carefully laid plan, according to the speaker. The plan was adopted following the report that Walton leaders in the House would resort to "filibustering" in attempts to delay roll call on the opening charge, McBe stated.

Suspension of Governor Walton from office will cause no break in the legislative investigation, according to McBe. "We shall go ahead with the Governor suspended just as if he were still in office," he declared.

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Germany Faces Secessionist Revolt And Food Riots In Berlin

While engaged in fighting the separatists in the Rhineland and communists in Hamburg, the German government is confronted with a new peril—food riots in Berlin.

Food shops were plundered by mobs following the announcement that the price of bread had been increased.

German ministers are receiving dispatches telling of disorders, and heard almost beneath their windows the cries of the hungry crowds rioting.

To add to the troubles of the Central Government the former Bavarian province declared its autonomy. It is not clear, however, if it is intended to secede.

Meanwhile the "Rhineland Republic" rebels are still struggling to establish a separate state and make good secession. Rebels are reported to have the upper hand in sixteen cities. There are no accurate estimate of casualties in the Rhineland.

At Hamburg twenty-two are dead and two hundred are wounded. The city is under a flotilla of guns and order is restored, and the communist uprising is suppressed.

Bremen communists quit their jobs on the water front and tied up shipping.

FOOTBALL CRAZE SWEEPS NATION SAYS U. P. WRITER

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—Attendance records for early season football games were established last Saturday when five big games on the schedule averaged almost 40,000 spectators each.

This is a manifestation of unusual interest in the popular college game for such early season games and it is due to the fact that the games which in the past have been reserved for November features of the schedule are being played earlier.

New records will be made for the 1923 season and the attendance at the big games will increase just as much as the facilities are enlarged for the accommodation of the crowds.

Last Saturday's mark will pass for a certainty next Saturday and on each succeeding week through the schedule.

Harvard and Dartmouth may draw sixty thousand at Cambridge and Boston will have enough surplus to contribute at least 25,000 to Marquette-Boston College, a game that will bring the fine Marquette team to the East for the first time.

Centre and Pennsylvania will fill the new stadium at Franklin Field to its capacity of 50,000. Brown and Yale should draw at least 35,000 to the Yale Bowl which is only half its capacity.

Penn State and West Virginia, two undefeated teams in line for the Eastern championship may play before 35,000 or 40,000 in Yankee Stadium.

Princeton and the Navy play in Baltimore and the crowd may go beyond 40,000 as it is the first time these two teams have played there.

Georgia Tech and Notre Dame, furnishing one of the feature games of the Middle West are sure to draw a great throng and Iowa and Ohio State are almost sure to pack the new Columbus Stadium which has a capacity of about 70,000. The East has already learned and the Middle West and South, if it is already not known there, will find out that football has reached such a place and it is a question of how many will be turned away from the games and not the number that will watch the big battles.

Yale athletic officials have already announced that all seats for the Yale-Army game on Nov. 3, have been disposed of "privately" and that no tickets will be placed on public sale.

Trapp Now Oklahoma Governor

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The first impeachment order, charging misuse of State funds in the payment of T. P. Edwards, the Governor's chauffeur, was adopted shortly after 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, by a vote of 80 to 17. Upon article of two of the impeachment bill. Several House members were absent.

An hour later the second impeachment order was returned by the House after voting 75 to 23 upon Article 3. This bill impeached the Governor for directing the dispersal of the grand jury called in Oklahoma county which was halted by National Guardsmen under orders of the State executive.

With the passage of the second impeachment order, the House adjourned for the night. The Senate adjourned an hour later following the passage of the suspension resolution, 38 to 1. Senator Jack Barker, El Reno, cast the one negative vote against the resolution.

Governor Walton refused to discuss the action of the Legislature.

He declared he would be in his office at the Capitol today but refused to indicate what action would be taken in answer to the impeachment action.

Acting Governor Trapp early today declared "I shall be governed strictly by the law." Trapp was notified of his ascendancy to the governorship when he returned here after a business trip to Sapulpa last night.

The Senate resolution suspending the Governor was brief, reading: "The House of Representatives of the Ninth Legislature, pursuant to the provisions of the constitution, has filed with the Senate articles of impeachment."

"J. C. Walton, Governor of Oklahoma, is charged with offenses made grounds of impeachment by the constitution."

"The filing of the articles with the Senate automatically suspends J. C. Walton as Governor and the office with its duties and compensations devolves upon the lieutenant-governor."

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"FOR GOD AND COUNTRY"

(Address of Ben F. Hunt at American Legion Luncheon, Mexia, October 2nd.)

Dr. Post Commander, Ladies and Gentlemen:

Your post commander has just stated that I can have at least thirty minutes for this address. It reminds me of a story they tell about Captain Bill McDonald, the famous Ranger. A number of years ago they sent him down to a south Texas town to put a quietus on a notorious feud then raging in that community. The news was quickly circulated that Captain Bill was in town. One of the windiest members of the feud was in one of the town's saloons, making considerable conversation for the edification of his surrounding admirers as to what he would do to Captain Bill if he should come around to the saloon. Unknown to him, the captain was seated over in one corner of the saloon, taking in the conversation and after giving the windy feudist enough rope to hang himself, the captain walked over to him, tapping him on the shoulder and spoke in his astounding ear: "Brother, I'll give you just two minutes to get out of town." The feudist turned to Captain Bill and said: "Well, brother, you gave me just a minute and a half too much." So your post commander has given me considerably more time than I have the courage to use.

And speaking of your post commander, I want to say that he is not only the best post commander in Texas, the best lawyer you ever saw but the most versatile and accomplished poet of the present day. He is also a natural born humorist. Yesterday he and I were standing on the street corner engaged in animated conversation with the illustrious editor of the best paper in Texas, the Mexia News, of course, when the post commander said to the editor: "I have invited

Mr. Hunt to address the legion at luncheon tomorrow and in order for things not to be too dull, and to break the monotony, I have invited a vaudeville troupe to dine with us and give us some real entertainment!"

But speaking seriously, the privilege of addressing a session of the Legion is an honor which should stir the heart of any man. I appreciate deeply and sincerely the privilege you have conferred upon me. The personnel, purposes and idealism of your organization appeal to my imagination; and I feel that if every American citizen would learn by heart the preamble to your constitution the quality of our citizenship would be raised to a degree which would surpass our fondest hopes.

The American Legion—excepting only the Government of the United States—is the greatest secular organization on the face of the earth today. Its fountain of life springs from the noblest sentiment that ever stirred the human heart. The first four words of the preamble to its constitution are the noblest and most inspiring that ever fell from human lips. "For God and Country," says this great document, "we associate ourselves together for the following purposes," and then follows the greatest platform of citizenship the mind of man has ever constructed.

I wish that every man, woman and child would memorize that platform. I wish every church would teach it to its members; that every school would teach it to its pupils; that every lawyer, every doctor, every merchant, every farmer and every American worker would do his part toward sending it into every home and publishing it to the world—to uphold and defend the constitution of the United States of America; to maintain law and order; to foster and perpetuate a one hundred per cent Americanism; to pre-

served the memories and incidents of the Association in the great war; to inculcate a sense of individual obligation to the community, state and nation—and so on.

The need for these things is greater than you realize. Recently that great lawyer of Dallas, Texas, R. E. L. Saner who is now president of the American Bar Association, made the following statement in his report on American Citizenship: "It is stated on competent authority that there are one million five hundred thousand radicals in this country who are clamoring for a change in our government from its present form to one of various degrees of communistic state; that there are four hundred newspapers and periodicals that represent similar views; that they are read by five million people; and that three million dollars was spent during the past year in behalf of 'Red' propaganda."

The Legion had already taken up the challenge of the "Reds" before Judge Saner made the above report, and the Legion has been carrying on the fight to foster and perpetuate a pure one hundred per cent Americanism ever since its organization. Let us stand by it in its program. Let us give it our untainted love; let us give it our unqualified support; let us shout its praises to the skies; let us lay our hearts by the side of theirs on our country's altar; let us march with it down the corridors of Time and let us say to this immortal legion: "Here we are. Use us as you will. Let us help you carry on. Let us help you teach the lessons of citizenship. Let us help you inspire the children of today with the truth that God and Country are one and inseparable—that no man can love God as he ought and not love his country too."

I say unto you that no man can love God as he ought and not at the same time love his country with all the power of his soul. If you are an American citizen be an American from the crown of your head to the sole of your feet. If you are an American—whether by birth or by adoption—let every pulse beat, every heart throb, every hope and every aim and aspiration be for your country's good.

A man who does not place God and Country first; who does not love his own country better than any other country on the face of the earth; who does not give to his country his unselfish and unquestioned devotion, is unworthy of citizenship in any country and has no right to call himself an American.

There is nothing worse than a man without a country—unless, as the sweet old maid said, it be a country without a man.

The American Legion has indeed a great opportunity. On its foundation rests the future of this republic. It placed this responsibility on its own shoulders when after the war it perfected its organization and selected "For God and Country" as the opening words of its constitution. This sentiment inspired it on the battlefield.

And when its victorious far drums ceased to beat its martial strains of battle; when those martial strains were changed to songs of peace as the victors marched back into the duties of civil life; when the Legion then perfected its organization of peace and selected its inspiring motto of "God and Country" and set forth the plans and principles of its platform, it took upon itself a responsibility greater and more far reaching than that of war. And now it behooves you and me and every other citizen of this republic to uphold the hands of the Legion as faithfully and as unselfishly as was ever done in time of war. Are we equal to the opportunity? Are we worthy of the obligation? The answer depends on whether or not we can say down deep in our heart, whatever I do as an American citizen shall be done for God and my country.

"For God and Country!" How we ought to thank the Legion for those inspiring words! They stir us with their beauty. They thrill and enthrall us with their grandeur. They move to the highest flights of eloquence, arouse the purest patriotism and inspire the most unselfish service the world has ever known.

For God and Country! What a noble sentiment. What an inspiring motto. What a sublime ideal. Let us about the words from every house, Send them forth into every home. Emblazon them across the sky. Sink them deep into the heart of every child. Write them across the doorway of every school and engrave them on the altar of every church. Then you need not fear for the destiny of your country. Its institutions will never be imperiled. Generations yet unborn will uphold and defend its constitution; law and order will be maintained; liberty and freedom will reign supreme and the blood of pure Americanism will flow through every throbbing breast.

I say, All hail to the American Legion! All hail to every man and woman who shouts its praises to the sky! All hail to every boy and girl whose heart is instilled with the noble and inspiring sentiment on which the Legion is founded.

Indiana Man Is Here On First Visit to Texas

Otis Tucker of Kokomo, Indiana, and L. A. Smith of Teague were here today. Mr. Tucker and family are visiting L. A. Smith and family in the neighboring town of Teague. They arrived the early part of the week and will leave the latter part of this week. Mr. Tucker states that his section of the country is entering upon a period of prosperity. Kokomo is a factory town of about 40,000 people. There are about 100 factories in the vicinity of Kokomo, including manufacturing institutions for the Haynes automobile, the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company, quite a number of fence and gate manufacturers, etc. This is his first visit to Texas and he is much pleased with his early impressions. Mrs. Tucker and Mrs. Smith are sisters.

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ROTARY LUNCHEON THURSDAY NOON

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Making and the troubles in his way,
Then you find that he is different
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You find his faults are trivial,
And there's not so much to blame
In the Shriner that you jeer at
When you only knew his name.

You are quick to see the blemish
In the distant Shriner's style,
You can point to all his errors,
And may sneer at him the while
And your prejudices fatten and
Your hates more violent grow
As you talk about the failures
Of the Shriner you don't know,
But when drawn a little closer,
And your hands and shoulders touch,
And find the traits you hated
Really don't amount to much.

When you get to know a Shriner,
Know his every mood and whim,
You begin to find the texture
Of the splendid side of him;
You begin to understand him,
And you cease to scoff and sneer,
For with understanding always,
Prejudices disappear.
You begin to find his virtues
And his faults you cease to tell,
For you seldom hate a Shriner
When you know him very well.

When next you start in sneering,
And your phrases turn to blame,
Know more of him you censure
Than his business and his name;
For it's likely that acquaintance
Would your prejudice dispel,
And you'll really come to like him
If you know him very well.
When you get to know a Shriner,
And you understand his ways,
Then faults won't really matter,
For you'll find a lot to praise.

BOYS OF MEXIA HIGH SCHOOL NOW BUSY IN CLUB

The boys club, which is in the process of organization up at the high school is creating quite a bit of interest not only among the boys of the school but among the men of the town as well. The boys met Monday afternoon and elected W. B. Kendrick as temporary chairman. W. B. appointed Charley Wofford, chairman of the constitution and by-laws committee; Machon Forrest, chairman of the names committee and Marvin Bennett, chairman of the general program committee. Thursday they will meet again, at which time they hope to adopt a definite constitution upon which to build their permanent organization. Then, they will be able to elect permanent officers.

The following boys constitute the charter members:

Omar, Seely, Joe Jones, Herman Adams, Joe Yurborough, Harold Wright, Ralph Gabreath, George Blitch, Ruehan Story, Jim Seely, Mack Walters, Chester Davis, Loy L. Cox, Guy Stokes, James Alwine, Gary Finch, Leldon Dupuy, Willie Wright, Malcolm Williams, Doyle Perkinson, Dick Buford, Carlos Clover, Robert Story, Oral Seely, Homer Williams, Jack Mills, Reginald Thomas, Ray Thomas, Dick Williams, Machon Forrest, Marvin Bennett, Charley Wofford, W. B. Kendrick.

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NEW FEATURES

Conference campaign. But T. C. U. is a minor consideration until the Mustangs get past the Aggies.

WACO.—Eleven telephone men have gone from Texas to Chicago to attend the annual meeting of the United States Independent Telephone Association this week.

DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 24.—Armstrong Field is the scene of intensive action this week as Coaches Morrison and Freeland drive the Mustangs towards the big goal of the year the opening Conference game with Texas A. & M. at College Station on Friday, October 25. The 25 to 0 victory of S. M. U. over the Missouri Miners on Rolla Tuesday at Fair Park gave the coaches grounds for comparison with A. & M. after the latter's victory over Sewanee on the same field a few days earlier. And in spite of the lopsided tally against the Miners, the team does not believe that S. M. U. has advanced as far as yet as the Aggies. But more days enter one between the Miner and Aggie games with cool weather settling in and a lot can be accomplished in that time.

The coaches point to one glaring feature in the two games—A. & M. drew ten yards in penalties against Sewanee—S. M. U. was soaked 82 yards by Ramp, Sewanee, and Clay, and a penalty is a poor football as a fumble—poorer as a fumble may not cost ground and a penalty always does. The salutary lesson learned in the Miner game is the biggest object one the squad could have.

S. M. U. interference improved materially between the Austin and Miner games except on end plays, but the brushes inside and out, tackle, over-center, were well developed. The line formations have been brought out sharply. S. M. U. did not use the pass much against the Miners but occasionally resorted to it to gain good football where the opposition is not proving especially adept as was the case with the Miners.

The Mustangs got a lot out of the game with the Miners in spite of the one-sided score. The line was tested by puzzling plays that at first they failed to gauge, and the fact was developed that S. M. U. has a three man field goal threat inside of reasonable distance. The Miners would have helped S. M. U. materially had the game come second on this year's schedule.

S. M. U. does not play another game until November 3 when it plays T. C. U. here in the second game of the

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Morgan City, La.—"It would be hard to say to tell how much benefit I have derived from the use of Cardui," said Mrs. I. G. Bowman, of 1319 Front Street, this city.

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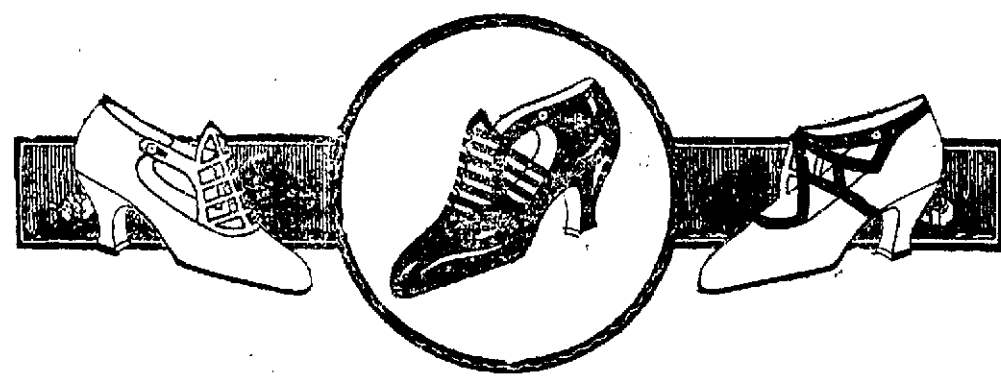
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DEMOCRATS SAY
LOWER TARIFF
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WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Trustworthy reports that Secretary of the Treasury Mellon is to urge Congress to make a further reduction in the higher surtaxes on large incomes are expected to give new pertinence and impetus to the movement for a decrease in the Fordney-McCumber tariff. Secretary Mellon is said to favor scaling surtaxes with the object of "putting money into productive and taxable ventures" and thus improving business and industry. The advocates of lower tariff seek to cut the cost of living and restore the parity between the prices of agricultural products and those of manufactures which are now getting practically all the "protection" provided by the Fordney-McCumber Act.

Income and profits taxes collected in the fiscal year 1923 aggregated 1,880,160,017. Of this sum about a third represented surtaxes. The Fordney-McCumber bill is taking a toll of \$4,000,000,000 a year from consumers. The Government receives only about \$500,000,000 of the four billions which the tariff adds to the cost of living.

This annual tax of four billions on consumption averages \$36 per capita, while the income and profits taxes average a little more than \$15 per capita. All the money gathered as income taxes, less the cost of collection, goes into the Federal Treasury. Only 5 of every \$100 paid by consumers in the form of tariff goes to the Government.

Democrats contend that a reduction of the tariff would be of greater assistance to business and industry—particularly agriculture—than a decrease in surtaxes would be, and it is precast that they will press for a downward revision of present duties as soon as the next Congress convenes. Recent scientific analyses of the effect of the Fordney-McCumber law on the cost of living in several States in the South and West convince the Democrats that a cut in the tariff could be as popular as it is necessary. Not more than 700,000 persons could benefit from a diminution of surtaxes, Democrats point out, while reduction of the tariff would mean saving to all consumers, including 1,000,000 people on farms.

The Fair Tariff League, a protectionist organization whose membership is largely Republicans has shown that the Fordney-McCumber law is costing Kansas more than \$46,000,000, Texas \$175,000,000, Washington \$51,000,000, and Oregon \$28,700,000 each year over and above any gains derived from the tariff. Statistics just issued by the Department of Commerce disclose that the total revenues of the State of Washington in 1922 were \$22,184,807, or \$15.00 per capita.

In addition to these charges for the maintenance of the State government, the people of Washington paid into the Federal Treasury a total of \$9,084,784, or \$6.70 per capita, as profits and income taxes.

While the combined State and Federal taxes in Washington were \$22.69 per capita in 1922, the tariff alone represented a tax of \$38.30 per capita in 1922-23, according to the Fair Tariff League. Of the sum that each consumer paid in tariff only \$4.81 went into the Federal Treasury. The remainder—\$33.49—was taken by private interests favored by Fordney-McCumber law. The Democrats cite these statistical facts to prove that if all the income and profits taxes were cut in two, the saving to the people of Washington would be only \$3.35 per capita, whereas a decrease of 50 per cent in the tariff would reduce the cost of living by \$19.25 per capita or \$96.25 for each family.

Reduction of surtaxes will necessarily impair Federal revenues, the Democrats point out, while a decrease of the tariff as a whole or a scaling of duties on certain items like woolen goods, steel and iron products, sugar, etc., will not significantly affect customs receipts, which under the Fordney-McCumber law are but 12½ per cent of all the toll which it takes from consumers.

"DR. JEKYL AND MR. HYDE"
AT OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT

Just one thrill after another, with a laugh as a chaser, is in store for Opera House fans tonight, when "The Ferguson Brothers Stock Company" presents "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde."

The cast had been rehearsed for the more up-to-the-minute romantic drama, "Within The Law" for the week-end change, but there came a call so insistent for the sensational tale of Jekyll and Hyde, that Ferguson's decided to give this play.

The public is acquainted with "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," so far as the story goes. For weirdness and mystery its author outdid Poe in his proudest achievements, and for suddenly developing intensively dramatic situations no builder of dime-novel heroics has ever approached it. Its action is nerve-racking in its appeal to the imagination and because of this unusual quality of the book, the playwright wisely wove into the stage version a thread of comedy that is wholesome and amusing.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff of any Constable of Limestone County—Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon S. W. Johnson, J. W. McWilliams, H. P. Tate by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Limestone County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Groesbeck, Texas, on the First Monday in November, A. D. 1923, the same being the 5th day of November, A.D. 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 12th day of October, A. D. 1923, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 4007-B, wherein A. E. Rosson and J. L. Cogdell are Plaintiffs and S. W. Johnson, O. L. Lusk, W. R. Jones, J. W. McWilliams, H. P. Tate, and Texas Trust Company are Defendants, and said petition alleging that on January 21, 1921, plaintiffs jointly executed a drilling contract and contract for leases to be executed and delivered to defendant, S. W. Johnson; that said contract is of record in Volume 111, page 206, deed records of Limestone County, Texas. That in pursuance of said contract plaintiffs did execute and deliver to S. W. Johnson (whose initials in A. E. Rosson instrument by inadvertence were reversed and show as W. S. Johnson) Oil and Gas leases covering Blocks or lots 5, 7, 13, 18, 19, 26, 27 and South half of Lots 20 and 25 and 200 acres out of the P. Lloyd and D. Varela surveys, together with lots 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55 and 57 (as shown by map and plat of the A. E. Rosson 1073 acre ranch and a portion of the J. L. Cogdell Estate. That the total acreage of both leases was 684 acres, 40¢ being out of the Rosson land and 284 out of J. L. Cogdell Estate; that the lease contracts are recorded in the deed records of Limestone County, Texas, in Vol. 112, page 179, and Vol. 113, page 387, which records give complete descriptions of the lands leased. Each of said leases provides as follows: "Should the first well drilled on the above described land be a dry hole, then and in that event if a second well is not begun on said land within twelve months thereafter, this lease shall terminate as to both parties, unless the lessee, on or before the expiration of said twelve months, shall resume the payment of rental in the same manner as hereinbefore provided."

That said S. W. Johnson and his assigns did drill one well on said lands in accordance with the conditions of said drilling contract and leases; that said well was finished and abandoned before and on the 18th day of August, 1921, same being a dry hole or non-producing well.

That no other well was begun on said premises until more than one year after the abandonment of said well on August 18th, 1921; that no one paid any rental on said land or any portion of it, on or before the expiration of one year after the said abandonment, nor has any one paid a rental thereon until this day, thereby forfeiting all rights under the said leases.

Plaintiffs further aver that said S. W. Johnson and his assigns assigned to defendants W. R. Jones, O. L. Lusk, J. W. McWilliams and Texas Trust Company, at several and diverse times various and diverse interests in various and different and in overlapping acreages covered by the above said leases and leased premises; that though some of them have assigned portions of their interest and released parts of their respective interests, yet each party named still holds in its name certain purported respective interests in parts of the above said premises and leased acreage, having failed and refused to release same in accordance with the law applying to lessees and their releasing such interest on forfeiture of same or an abandonment of efforts to develop same. That said H. P. Tate avers certain interests existing under a memorandum agreement between him self and W. C. Rosson, who had no legal right or power to bind said plaintiffs or either of them, thereby deriving no interest under any instrument of writing given and executed by W. C. Rosson.

Plaintiffs aver that they have been damaged in a sum of \$500.00 in that they expended money and attorney fees in bringing this suit as well as loss of time to themselves, all of which damage amounts to \$500.00 or more.

Wherefore, premises considered, plaintiffs pray the court that citation issue to defendants, and that upon a hearing that they be granted judgment declaring all said leases to S. W. (W. S.) Johnson, together with all assignments under said leases or either of them, null and void and of no further force or effect, and for judgment in the sum of \$500.00 as damages against defendants for their having failed and refused to release their purported interests in and to said lands, and for their costs in this behalf incurred, and such other relief as they may be entitled.

Herein Faint Not, and have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Groesbeck, Texas, this 12 day of October, A. D. 1923.

Johnson Wakefield, Clerk,
District Court, Limestone County
By Ruby Lawley, Deputy.
(Oct. 12 19 26 Nov 2)

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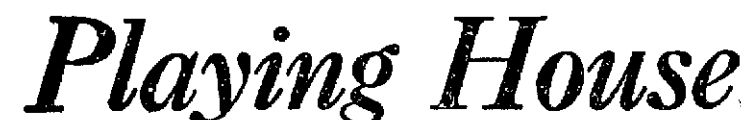
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Mexia Twenty Years Ago

Compiled By N. P. Hous
From Files of Mexia Evening News
Of Oct. 24, 1913.

W. D. Vickers and wife have returned from a visit in Kirk.

Sandy King shipped a car load of pees to Fort Worth yesterday.

Clay Colgin went out to Cotton Gin Sunday to visit his father, who is sick with pneumonia.

Miss Lula Mae Beckham came home from Sherman Saturday evening, where she is attending Kidd-Key college.

This morning Jesse Denning closed a contract with J. D. Jackson and John Davis to make some marked improvements on the Prendergast, Smith & Co. bank building. The front of the building will be remodeled, and a corner entrance put in. The inside will be ceiled with steel and other improvements made, which, when finished, will make this one of the most imposing buildings in the city.

Henry Roller has had his dwelling recovered and a new covered gallery, with banisters placed around the north and east side.

A large crowd was in town Saturday and business was lively.

Editorial.—The Groesbeck Journal has been enlarged from a 5-column to a 6-column quarto. We are glad to see this evidence of prosperity in the Journal.

Miss Esther Lewis is on the sick list.

Mrs. Hugh Everett is reported as being no better.

W. R. Storey and M. E. Roberts shipped a car of sweet potatoes and ribbon cane to Hillsboro today.

GRABBED THE COIN
AND LEFT THE "SAFE"

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Oct. 24.—In this swift age even the old reliable "women's first national bank" is no longer reliable.

A soldier walked into a soft drink parlor here and ordered a drink. He proffered a five dollar bill in payment. The girl reached into the "age old women's bank" and as she was extracting the money the soldier grabbed the five and several other bills and fled.

THREATS COST MORE THAN
TO ACT SOMETIMES

HOUSTON, Texas, Oct. 24.—Threats come high in Houston.

Mrs. C. A. Hudgins reported to police that her husband told her he was going to kill her and Judge Campbell fined him \$1000 and costs amounting to \$91.15.

PARENTAL OBJECTION
RANGER, Texas, Oct. 24.—Cupid after having his dart among the younger set of Ranger and vicinity has a hard time getting them "hitched," according to district clerk Jones.

He has a long list of "don't issue to" names posted inside the bank house book. The list contains names of boys and girls, mostly girls, and some where parents have good reason they are planning to become "one."

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HOME RUNS AND SMOKES

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, Oct. 24.—Casey Stengel "The Old Man of Baseball" will have a long memory of the two homers he knocked during the world's series. Fire ladders of Waxahachie sent him a carton of Home Run cigarettes.

MAYORS' DAY AT FAIR

DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 24.—Today was Texas League of Municipalities Day at the state fair here. Headed by Mayor W. E. Lea, of Orange, president of the League, and a score or more chief executives of state municipalities were here to attend the exposition.

SAN ANTONIO.—A new street car line is under construction here along Guadalupe and South Zarmora streets for a distance of a mile and half.

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SPECIAL NOTICE

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MRS. LINDA McADAMS.
2417

GREENVILLE.—Extensive additions and betterments to the plant and equipment of the Greenville Telephone Company are now under construction. A modern rest room for women employees is a part of the improvements.

MERCEDES.—The city council here has granted a franchise to the Valley Electric and Ice Company. In addition to an electric light plant the company is to establish a filtration plant for city water.

ENNIS.—Arrangements are being made by the Texas Electric Railway to build a new station at West Baylor and North Dallas streets.

FOR RENT.—Modern furnished apartment on Hopkins street. Gas, lights and water. Phone 319-W. 2417



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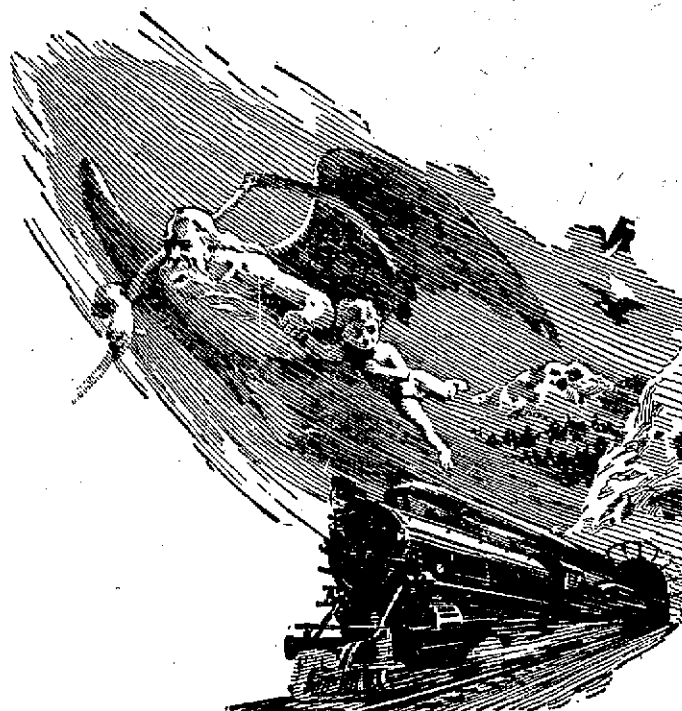
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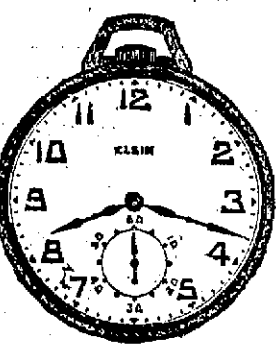
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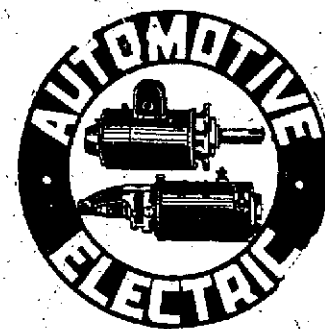
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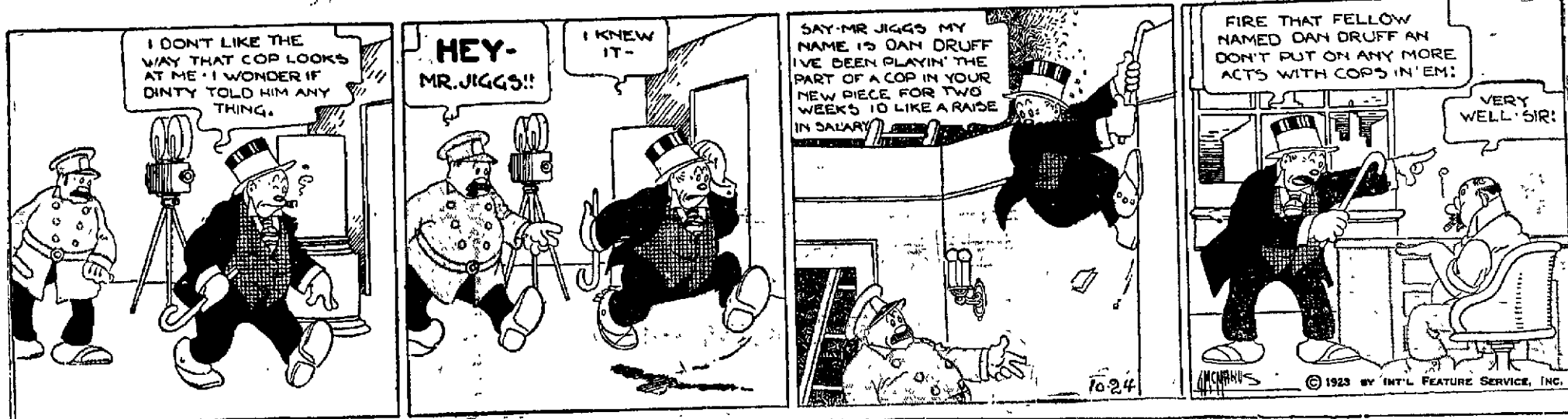
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DID YOU KNOW that there are many changes daily in Mexia's rooming houses. These individuals watch this column constantly for available rooms. The column offers its service in helping rent your rooms. Give particulars in your ad. That's what the reader wants.

HELP WANTED—A

WANTED WORK by young man, before and after school, in exchange for board and room. P. J. Box 245, care St. Clair Pipe Line Co. Floyd Clemons. 2147

WANTED—Two men appearing men or women to travel in demonstration. Experience not necessary. See Mr. Smith or Cox, Colwell Hotel, 411 East Commerce. 2142

WANTED TO BUY—E

CASH FOR TRUNK and buy reasonable cash price for wardrobe trunk in good condition. P. J. Box 245, care St. Clair Pipe Line Co. 2143

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—F
WE SELL and exchange all kinds of furniture, floor covering, stoves, and kitchen hardware. M. Langston, new and second hand furniture, Phone 56, May 10th.

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FOR SALE 1 L. South Oil Stock, 500 shares, 5% preferred. Address: Box 774. 2144

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FOR SALE—One 200 barrel Red Wood Tank, Two Galvanized Tanks, 50 and 75 barrel each. One iron Oil Tank 20 barrel. 70 H. P. engine. One 15 H. P. engine. Maud Whitley, 1015 N. Main St., Mexia, Texas. Call for Mr. J. E. Maye. 2145

MR. RENTER—I have a lot and two houses on S. McKinney St. Small cash or our first payment. Write me general delivery Julius A. Thomas, Eastland, Tex. 2146

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FOR RENT—Six room house west of H. & T. C. Depot. Phone 318. 19K7

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Dr. Holton was in from Prairie Hill and went to Dallas this morning.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County—Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon Rufus Ellis by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Limestone County, to be held at the Court House thereof, on

October, 1923, by the District Court of said Limestone county, for the sum of Seven hundred and Two Hundred Sixty dollars and costs of suit, under a vendor's lien, in favor of J. Sanford Smith and Phil Karner, in a certain cause said court No. 2885, and styled J. Sanford Smith and Phil Karner, vs. C. I. Spencer, A. R. Jameson and D. L. Campbell, placed in my hands for service, I, Whit Popejoy, as sheriff of Limestone county, Texas, did, on the 15th day of October, 1923, levy on certain real estate situated in Limestone county, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Being lots fourteen (14) fifteen (15) seventeen (17) and eighteen (18) in division S. in the city of Mexia, Limestone county, Texas, and levied upon as the property of C. I. Spencer, A. R. Jameson, and D. L. Campbell, and that on the first Tuesday in November 1923, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the court house door of Limestone county, in the town of Groesbeck, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy and said order of sale, I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder as the property of said C. I. Spencer, A. R. Jameson and D. L. Campbell.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Mexia Daily News, a newspaper published in Limestone county.

Witness my hand this 15th day of October, 1923.

WHIT POPEJOY,
Sheriff Limestone County, Texas.
By N. P. Harris, Deputy.
Oct. 15-22-29

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County—Greeting:
You are hereby commanded, that you summon by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Limestone if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, Jesse Bond and Abe Goodman whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. County Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be held in the County of Limestone, on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1923, same being first Monday in November, 1923, at the Court House thereof, in Groesbeck, Texas, and there to answer a petition filed in said Court, on the 25th day of July A. D. 1923, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 918, wherein D. A. Kerzee is plaintiff, and Jesse Bond and Abe Goodman are defendants.

The nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows, to-wit:
Plaintiff alleges, that on October 25th, 1922 defendants made, executed and delivered to this plaintiff their certain promissory note for the sum of \$833.17, payable to the order of plaintiff at Mexia, Texas, due and payable on the 10th day of March, 1923 bearing interest at rate of 10% a year from its date until paid, and providing for 10% additional on the amount of principal and accrued interest as attorneys fee and to pay all expenses of collection and costs of court, if it should not be paid at maturity, where by defendants became liable and bound, individually and collectively, to plaintiff and promised to pay to plaintiff the sum of money specified in said note, all accrued interest, and attorney fees and costs of collection, including court costs, according to the tenor and effect thereof.

That plaintiff has placed said note in the hands of attorneys for collection and has contracted and agreed to pay them 10% stipulated for in said note, same being reasonable and the usual and customary attorney fee in such matters. That said note is past due and unpaid; and defendants, though often requested, have failed and refused heretofore and now fail and refuse to pay said note or any part of it, to plaintiff's damage in the sum of \$1000.00, in that he has lost his principal sum, his interest thereon and the investment and earning power of said principal and interest since March 10th, last, and has contracted to pay the attorney fee provided for in said note and is under obligations to pay the court costs, etc.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays the court that defendants be cited to appear and answer this petition, and

that he have judgment for his principal sum of \$833.17, for interest thereon since October 25th, 1923 at rate of 10% a year, for his attorney fees as provided for in said note, for his costs of suit, for all costs expended in this behalf, and for his damages over and above these items, making a total judgment of \$1000.00, and for such other and further relief, general and special, in equity and in law that plaintiff may be justly and legally entitled to, and in honor bound will ever pray, etc.

Heroin fail not, and have you before said court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Groesbeck, this, the 11th day of October, A. D. 1923.

J. L. DAY, Clerk County Court
Limestone County, Texas.
By ANNA BURNLEY, Deputy.
Oct. 12-10-26-Nov. 2.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon David Collins by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District court of Limestone county, to be held at the court house thereof, in Groesbeck, Texas, on the 1st Monday in November A. D. 1923, the same being the 5th day of November, A. D. 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 6th day of October 1923, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court as No. 3912-B, wherein Mamie Collins is plaintiff and David Collins is defendant and said petition alleging Plaintiff seeks defendant for divorce on the grounds of abandonment for more than three years.

Heroin fail not and have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court at office in Groesbeck, Texas, this 6th day of October, A. D. 1923.

JOHNSON WAKEFIELD
Clerk District Court, Limestone Co.,
A true copy I certify.

WHIT POPEJOY
Sheriff Limestone County, Texas.
By N. P. Harris, Deputy.
Oct. 8 15 22 29

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon J. R. Alford by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Limestone County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Groesbeck, Texas, on the first Monday in November A. D. 1923, the same being the 5th day of November A. D. 1923, then and there to answer an amended petition filed in said Court on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1923, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 2455, wherein Berry Barnett Grocery Company, a corporation, is plaintiff, and N. F. Ferguson, J. A. Underwood, C. B. Jackson and J. E. Alford are defendants, said petition alleging that

N. F. Ferguson, J. A. Underwood, C. B. Jackson and J. E. Alford are partners and doing business under the firm name of Commercial Hotel Company, and J. R. Alford was doing business under the trade name of the Rex Cafe; that plaintiff at the special instance and request of the defendant, Commercial Hotel Company sold to them on the several dates specified in an account certain goods, wares and merchandise being groceries needed in running said business; that in consideration of the sale of said goods, defendant promised to pay herefor the amount charged in said account, being \$604.20; that on October 14, 1921, plaintiff, at the instance and request of defendant Rex Cafe sold and delivered to it goods, wares and merchandise which said Rex Cafe agreed to pay to the amount charged therefor same being \$620.63, that said cafe was run by J. R. Alford until December 16, 1921, when he sold an interest in said cafe to the Commercial Hotel Company; that at that time said cafe owed this plaintiff the sum of \$589.88; that on or about December 16, 1921, J. R. Alford doing business under the name of Rex Cafe being indebted to the Mexia Wholesale Grocery Company in the sum of \$573.91 the said N. F. Ferguson, and J. R. Alford represented to plaintiff that the said cafe was indebted to the said Mexia Wholesale Grocery Company for the sum of \$573.91 would not have to be paid within thirty days if he, the said Ferguson, would purchase an interest in the Rex Cafe; that said Commercial Hotel Company would pay said \$573.91 within thirty days; plaintiff agreed to said contract and in pursuance thereof the said Ferguson, Underwood and Jackson purchased an interest in said Cafe and in consideration thereof promised to pay plaintiff and the Mexia Wholesale Grocery Company the amount mentioned. That the said J. R. Alford transferred to the Mexia Commercial Hotel Company an interest in the Rex Cafe and placed them in possession thereof.

Plaintiff would show to the Court that on November 8, 1921, and January 13, 1922, the Mexia Wholesale Company sold and delivered to the Rex Cafe certain goods, wares and merchandise being groceries for which said Cafe agreed to pay the amount set out in said account the total being the sum of \$620.26; that J. R. Alford at that time was the owner of said Cafe, the said Alford being indebted to a number of persons among whom was the Mexia Wholesale Grocery Company who sold to said Commercial Hotel Company the said Rex Cafe, agreed to pay said Mexia Wholesale Grocery Company the indebtedness that the Rex Cafe then owed the Mexia Wholesale Grocery Company. And afterwards incurred debts to the amount of \$106.55 which it promised to pay the Mexia Wholesale Grocery Company. That afterwards, the manager of the Rex Cafe gave to said Grocery Company its check for \$492.71 which check was turned down and not paid. That on January 14, 1922, said Hotel Company gave a check to said Wholesale Grocery Company for the sum of \$106.35 which check was turned down. Plaintiff would show that it has purchased of said Mexia Wholesale Grocery Company for a valuable consideration the indebtedness due said Grocery Company from the Rex Cafe and the Commercial Hotel and the same has not yet been paid and plaintiff is entitled to recover said account.

That all of the said accounts are due and unpaid, and the defendants and each of them have refused to pay any part to plaintiff's damage in the sum of \$1845.14.

WHEREFORE, plaintiff prays the court that defendants be cited to appear and answer this petition; that upon a trial hereof they have judgment for said \$1845.14 with interest cost of suit, and such other and further relief, as it may be entitled.

Heroin Fail Not, and have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in

Groesbeck, Texas, this the 4th day of October, A. D. 1923.
Johnson Wakefield, Clerk,
District Court, Limestone County.
By Ruby Lawley, Deputy.
A true copy I certify.
Whit Popejoy,
Sheriff Limestone Co., Texas.
(Oct. 5 12 19 26)

H. & T. C.
EFFECTIVE 12:01 A. M. JUNE 17th.
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37 Dallas Ft. Worth 5:14 a. m.
17 Dallas Ft. Worth 4:35 a. m.
19 Dallas Ft. Worth 3:55 a. m.
South bound—
346 To cut-off 7:00 a. m.
16 Houston San Antonio 11:45 a. m.
32 From Dallas 10:08 a. m.
38 Austin San Antonio 12:21 a. m.
18 Houston San Antonio 1:37 a. m.
20 Houston San Antonio 12:16 a. m.
T. & B. V.
No. 8—3:25 p. m.
South.
No. 7—12:55 p. m.

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You have thrown many a pair of good shoes away just because the soles were worn through. Perhaps the counters were out of shape, and the welts may have been "shot". Don't do it again. No matter what the condition of the shoe, if the upper is good we can rebuild it and make it almost like new. Perhaps there is a pair of shoes in your closet right this minute that need attention. Bring them to us and permit us to advise you. They may be saved, and many more weeks of wear put into them at very small expense. Be thrifty—have 'em repaired.

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Mr. And Mrs. W. N. Odum Celebrate Their Golden Wedding Anniversary

Tuesday, October 23rd, was the scene of much joy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Odum at their home on the Comanche road three miles west of Mexia when the couple celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary. They have four children, all of whom were present with their children and grand children.

Mr. Odum was born December 30th, 1851, and Mrs. Odum was born October 1st, 1857. Both were born at Auburn, Tennessee, and were childhood sweethearts having gone to school together in childhood. Besides their four children they have twenty grandchildren and two great grandchildren living, the only ones being absent were several of the grandchildren who were unable to attend.

The wedding anniversary dinner was held at noon and only those who saw the feast can have any idea of that real old fashioned home cooking. In the center of the table was an immense circular cake almost two feet in diameter, with the words "Golden Anniversary" written across the surface in different colored icing. Smaller cakes were plentiful and the emmentable part of the feast was that Mr. Odum who is now sixty-six years old baked every one of the cakes himself.

Those who attended the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Iley and children who came from West Texas to be present, Mrs. Groves and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton and children and the only son of the aged couple, Mr. J. R. Odum with his wife and children.

Mr. Odum wishes this great and happy family many more pleasant reunions. "From scenes like these Old Texas grandeur rises."

Widow of Angelo Hughes Weds Again; Hughes Was Killed in Accident Here

Florence King Hughes, star rodeo performer and horsewoman of Fort Worth and Louise E. Fenton of San Antonio are married. This is the announcement that comes from the 101 Ranch in Oklahoma, made by the couple when they stopped there en route to Texas.

Mrs. Fenton, who has appeared in the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show rodeo here many times and is a favorite of the audience, was appearing in a roundup at Kansas City when she secretly married Fenton. He is a wealthy Osage Indian.

The couple will go to San Antonio for a brief stay with Fenton's parents will go to Los Angeles to make their home. Mrs. Fenton will enter motion pictures.

Mrs. Fenton is the widow of Angelo Hughes, himself a star rodeo performer and former deputy sheriff at Breckenridge, and who met his death in an automobile accident about two years ago on the Mexia-Groesbeck highway near Mexia. At that time he was residing here.

In July, Mrs. Hughes won many honors at the New York Stompede held at the Yankee Stadium. She was presented with a solid gold pin and a set of gymnastic equipment by the New York Athletic Association for her ability as a trick rider.

Awful Distress Now Relieved

There is perhaps nothing more distressing to people who are bothered with them, and surely nothing as displeasing to others who see them as pimples, blotches, bumps, rash, scrofula, eczema, "breaking out" and similar skin disfigurements.

And now that Black and White Ointment is proving to be so dependable in quickly getting rid of these diseases of the skin, it seems foolish for people to neglect using it, and making themselves attractive to others instead of being slighted all the time.

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SAN ANTONIO.—Extensive improvements of the Public Service Company's equipment now under way here will soon be completed at a cost of \$100,000. New underground cables is a part of the improvement.

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Baptist Women Meet Monday

The Women's Missionary Union of the Baptist church met in its regular monthly meeting at the church October 22, at 8 o'clock, under the program with Mrs. Hickman as leader.

Subject: "Hospital Work of Southern Baptists."

Song—"The Women's Hymn."

Devotional: Mrs. Saultz.

Prayer: Mrs. McGraw.

Blessed are the Merciful.—Mrs. Compton.

Prayer: Mrs. Tidwell.

"Hospital Work in China"—Mrs. Sewell.

Hymn—"The Comforter Has Come."

"Our Woman Physician in Mexico"—Mrs. Ross Walker.

Prayer: Mrs. Tom Day.

The program was followed by a business meeting, after which refreshments were served by Circle No. 5.

Sportlights

The week end brings forth a light schedule for the Southwest for long horns meet Southwestern at Austin, the Aggies clash with S. M. U. at College Station and the strong Baylor team meets Ochsita at Waco.

Looks like this is "stay at home week" with the conference contestants.

Another game that is attracting a good deal of attention is the Centenary-T. C. U. game at Ft. Worth next Saturday. The coaches of both teams are products of Centenary College under the wily Charlie Moran and are well known to the football world.

Coach "Doc" Stewart is determined not to let last Saturday's loss harm him in coming games. He is aware of the fact that over and over again more downfalls than any thing else and the team reaches this fact.

Vanderbilt may not oppose the Michigan football team next year because Fielding H. Yost, the Michigan coach, is opposed to intercollegiate contest. The game of Oct. 11 completed the two year contract between the two schools. We cannot blame "Hurry Up" Yost much because last year was a tie game and this year they were not able to cross the Commodore's goal line although they won the game by a field goal. Guess he wants to quit while quitting is good. Vandy is considering replacing the Wolverines with an Eastern team, probably Yale.

Don't forget we have a real football game right here at home next Friday, Oct. 25th, at Nowlin Park, starting at 3:30. The Mexia Black Cats meet the Groesbeck High and all indications point to a real fight.

We were just wondering whether Papyrus will go back to England in a private compartment with mads, etc. as he came over, or will he go back "A La Spark Plug."

DALLAS.—Texas stands thirteenth among the states in mileage of electric railways according to official statistics with 973.69 miles. From 1917 to 1922 twenty-four miles of electric railroad were built in Texas. From 1912 to 1917, 225 miles were built.

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Cotton Crepe

One lot of 36 inch cotton crepe; very pretty for making undergarments. We will reduce this from 50c per yard and place it out as a special for Dollar Day only at 3 yards

Quilt Linings

Time to think of quilting. As a special inducement we are offering for Dollar Day one lot of 36 inch quilt linings in an assortment of patterns originally selling at 25c per yard; tomorrow very special at 5 yards for

Summer Unions

One lot of ladies summer weight union suits; 50c values; Dollar Day, 3 for

Brown Domestic

A good grade brown domestic, 38-inches wide; reduced and placed on sale Dollar Day at 10 yards

Turkish Towels

One big lot of Turkish towels 20 by 40 in sizes, nicely hemmed. These towels originally sold at 65c per pair. Very special for Dollar Day at 5 for

Bleached Domestic

One lot of bleached domestic, 36-inches wide, worth 18c per yard, very special for Dollar Day only at 8 yards

Shepherd Check Suiting

A very pretty lot of shepherd check suiting for making skirts and dresses. Reduced from 65c per yard and offered for tomorrow at 3 yards

Window Scrim

We are offering one lot of inexpensive window scrim which originally sold at 20c per yard for Dollar Day only at 10 yards

Outing Flannel

Winter is coming. Children and grown-ups alike will need warm undergarments. Tomorrow we offer a 27-inch good grade outing flannel in assorted colors, 6 yard's

Table Damask

Do you need a new table cloth? Tomorrow we offer several very pretty pieces of table damask originally selling for 75c per yard at 2 yards for

Hope Domestic

You know how good Hope domestic is and what it is worth today. Well, tomorrow, just for one day we sell all you want at 6 yards for

Cretonne

One lot of extra good cretonne; a very complete range of colors and patterns. Be sure that you see this offering if you are in need of draperies. This lot is our 35c and 50c grades. Tomorrow we place it on sale at 4 yards

French Gingham

This is a very pretty lot of French gingham; comes in the desired little checks, stripes, and some of the larger plaids. Regularly selling this grade for 50c per yard. Dollar Day very special at 3 yards

32-Inch Gingham

One lot of 32 inch gingham, pretty colors, pretty stripes and plaids. Regularly selling at 20c per yd. Dollar Day special at 8 yards

Cotton Checks

We offer for Dollar Day one lot of Cotton Checks for quilt linings at 10 yards for

Shirts and Blouses

One lot of boys pongee and striped madras shirts and blouses. Methers, now is the time to supply that boy with all the blouses and shirts that he will need during the school season at a nice little savings. Tomorrow each

Bleached Sheetting

We are offering this 9-4 bleached sheetting, a good standard grade; worth .60c in any retail store; Dollar Day very special 2 yds.

\$5 OFF

Misses' and Ladies' Hats

During Dollar Day we are offering any ladies or misses hat selling at \$14.95 and up at a reduction of \$5.00. This includes dress, sport and street hats. For one day only.

In order to get choice selection shop early Thursday morning.

\$5 OFF

BLUE SHIRTS

Men's and boys blue work shirts; made well and will wear well; worth 75c each, tomorrow, special at 2 for

MEN'S SOX

One big lot of men's sox in all colors; regularly selling at 15c and 20c per pair; as many as you want; 8 for

Terry Cloth

One lot of terry cloth for draperies. Reduced from \$1.50 per yard. Very special for Dollar Day per yard

Bloomers

One lot of black sateen bloomers for school wear; made well and of good material. Regularly selling at 50c each; Dollar Day very special 3 for

Men's Shirts

One lot of men's striped madras shirts; good looking ones at the original price of \$1.50; Thursday very special at each

Men's Pongee Shirts

This lot is with collar attached; made of good grade pongee and just a dandy shirt at the special price of each

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ATLANTIC SEABOARD LASHED WITH STORM

From Carolina To Maine 60 Mile Gale Lashes Ships

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—From Maine to Carolina swathing breakers, wrecked boats, flooded water front attested the fury of a 60-mile gale which lashed the Atlantic seaboard for twenty four hours, reached its greatest intensity last night, and today is moving southward. Fear is felt for the British ship Westmoreland with eighty men aboard, fourteen miles off the Delaware breakwaters. Many pleasure craft were washed away.

Westmoreland Is In Danger
NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—No word has been received from the British ship Westmoreland, which left yesterday sent out S. O. S. calls from off the coast of Delaware, the Naval Communications Bureau here said today.

The Westmoreland carried a crew of 80 men and officers. The ship has not been heard from since her S. O. S. calls were received yesterday during the 70-mile gale that swept the sea and coast line from Maine to Florida.

The Danish steamer Phoenix picked up three messages from the Westmoreland. One stated that all her life boats had been smashed by the heavy seas and a later one the last received asked that the crew be saved with all possible speed.

All attempts to get into communication with the sinking vessel failed, and it is feared she went down with all hands.

The Westmoreland sailed from Boston Monday for Southern ports. The five-masted brigantine Macerati from New York went on the rocks off Lewes, Del.

The Cape Charles lightship at Norfolk, Va., was blown out to sea when the terrific gale snapped her moorings. She was towed back to safety by a coast guard boat.

The toll of the near hurricane included washed out railroads, wrecked hotels and ruined sea walls and beaches.

The damage will reach thousands of dollars.

SECEDERS WIN MANY GERMAN TOWNS THEY ASSERT

By JOHN DE GANDT
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
PARIS, Oct. 24.—The separatists officially claim control of the following towns in the Rhineland, dispatches from Aix Le Chapelle said today:

Bochum, Mannheim, Crefeld, Ludwigshafen, Rudesheim, Bonn, Duren, Dietz, Mayen, Prum, Saarburg, Wiesbaden, Groesbeek, Badens and Mayence.

Leo Deckers, separatist leader at Aix, is quoted by the Matin as declaring "the struggle is extremely hard. It is impossible to make a revolution in a day."

"I believe our success will be final within a week. We have won places where we expected fierce resistance. Duisburg and Bonn, the latter a typical Prussian military citadel, are ours."

The separatist position is described by observers at Aix as "desperate."

Only about 100 separatists are said to be in the city while the populace is extremely hostile.

The British consul there attempted to induce the besieged separatists to surrender but was unsuccessful.

Coblentz messages say separatists there seized a castle but were unable to hold it. They abandoned it with the intention of attacking other buildings.

A state of siege is reported to have been proclaimed at Wiesbaden.

Gun Club To Hold Shoot Afternoon Friday

The Mexia Gun Club will have its weekly shoot Friday at 4:30 p. m. There is going to be some lively shooting Friday as some of the members have been getting cocky and made some challenges that they are going to have to back up with actual broken targets.

Mr. W. A. Anderson, who wields a wicked smoke stick (a Winchester) has accepted a challenge from the crack-shott of the club, L. D. (two-gun) Morrow, who does some pretty fair shootin' and will do a great deal better just as soon as he learns that he will never be a successful shot with the fowling piece that he uses.

Harrie Meek has been having a hard time defending his title but so far he has only had to pay off once, and that to Red Hendon. Mr. Hendon has challenged Meek for a shot Friday, same having been duly accepted. Its going to be a close shoot if not a tie as both men are excellent shots.

Fred Klotz will attempt to satisfy the cravings of A. Englehard in a friendly bout with the blue rocks. Mr. Englehard is a new member and not very familiar with blue rocks but promises to make it interesting for Mr. Klotz.

Its just a few days now till bird season opens and its a good opportunity to get your old gun limbered up—so bring it out Friday and take a few shots at the blue rocks.

Visitors are cordially invited and royally entertained. Come out and get a smell of gun powder Friday, 25th, 4:30 p. m.

NEW RHINELAND DIRECTORATE NOW BEING FORMED

LONDON, Oct. 24.—The executive committee of the separatist party has elected Herr Matthes and Dr. Dorten to form a directorate government for the new Rhineland Republic, a dispatch from Coblentz said today. The directorate would be vested with full powers.

Matthes would act for the North Rhineland areas and Dorten for the South.

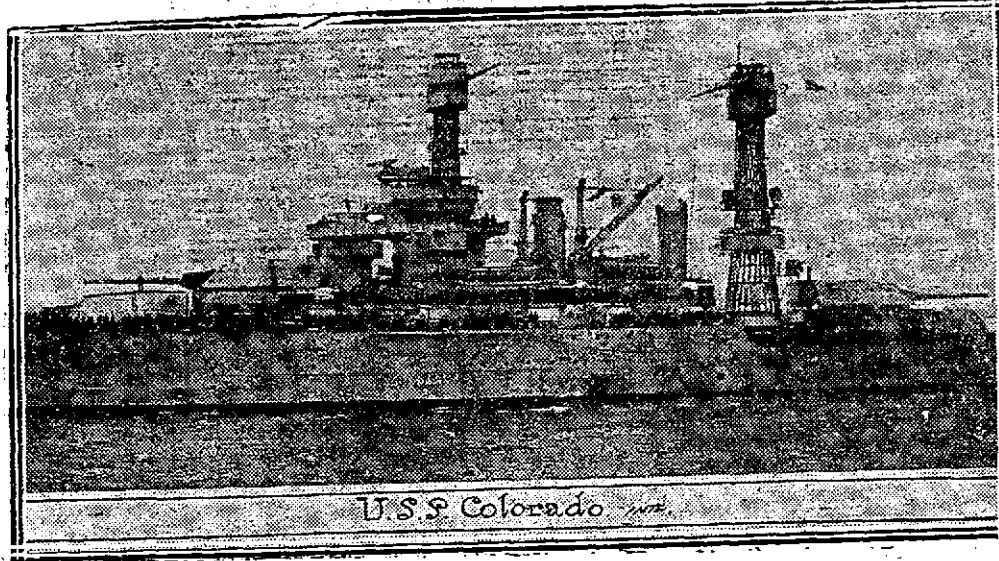
More Letters Are Read in Cook Case

FORT WORTH, Texas, Oct. 24.—Scores of additional letters and circulars were read in the Cook trial. Witnesses told of investing in the company organized by S. E. J. Cox, Houston promoter, and then exchanging the stock for that in the Cook company.

Senator W. H. Gulager, of Muskogee, introduced the resolution for suspension of the Governor upon the arrival of the House committee with notification of impeachment recommendation. Balloting upon the twenty remaining counts against Governor Walton was to be started when the House convenes about 10 o'clock today, according to Speaker W. D. McBee. The Senate was to meet simultaneously with the House.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Oct. 24.—Martin E. Trapp, of Muskogee, was acting Governor of Oklahoma today. Governor J. C. Walton was suspended from office at 6:40 o'clock last night, when, by an overwhelming vote of 38 to 1, the Senate adopted a resolution temporarily relieving him of his official duties. This action followed the adoption in the House of two articles of impeachment by votes of 80 to 17 and 75 to 23.

UNCLE SAM'S MIGHTIEST DREADNOUGHT NEARLY READY



The U. S. S. Colorado, mightiest warship afloat and the last Uncle Sam can build for ten years, under the Naval Disarmament treaty, has reached the Brooklyn (N. Y.) Navy Yard and will remain there for two months, while her fire-control system is being installed. The vessel is 624 feet long, with a normal displacement of 32,600 tons. She is electrically driven, the electricity being generated by oil-burning engines.

Welks Given Death Sentence

Judge Lindsey Says Much Immorality Among Denver Girls

DENVER, Oct. 24.—More than 1000 girls under 17 were illegally operated upon to prevent child birth in Denver within the last year, Judge Ben B. Lindsey told the grand jury here. Judge Lindsey said he had personal knowledge of very many cases, and told the jury that the birth rate had been cut at least 50 per cent by such operations. Judge Lindsey refused to give specific details regarding certain cases.

Cleveland Is Entertaining Lloyd George

By LAWRENCE MARTIN
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
WITH LLOYD GEORGE, PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 24.—Worried by a strenuous day in Cleveland, but more enthusiastic than ever over the prospects of eventual American cooperation with Europe, Lloyd George arrived in Pittsburgh before daylight today.

He was to be allowed to sleep on his private car until his regular breakfast hour and the ceremonies of reception by civic authorities and the many thousands of Welsh in this and nearby communities were deferred until 9:30.

His day here was to be spent very largely in rest, preparatory to addressing a public meeting tonight. Following the speech he will leave for Washington, D. C.

Jail Breaker To Pay For Murder In Electric Chair

DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 24.—Sidney Welks, wounded in an attempted jail break in which Jailor Willis Champion and Chas. Gibbs, condemned prisoner, were killed, was assessed the death penalty by a jury following his trial on a murder indictment. Welks' attorneys gave notice that they would ask for a new trial.

Jesse Bradley's 20-Year Sentence For Murder Is Affirmed

AUSTIN, Oct. 24.—The twenty years sentence assessed against Jesse Bradley, convicted in Limestone county of the murder of Elisha Dowie in June, 1922, was affirmed by the Criminal Court of Appeals.

ALLEYS TO BE PAVED IN THIS CITY SOON

It is learned that plans are now well under way to pave the alleys in the downtown district. It is claimed that this will aid materially in keeping the streets clean and sanitary. The alleys will likely receive 8 inches of concrete, but, as is customary, will not be topped with asphalt.

22 Dead And 200 Wounded In Hamburg

HAMBURG, Oct. 24.—Twenty-two were dead and about 200 wounded in the fighting here yesterday, according to the latest check early today.

Police had recaptured all important police stations seized by Communists in their uprising yesterday.

Desultory firing continued through the night but brought no change in the situation.

Hackney Weaver Test To Spud In Next Week

The Hackney Weaver test, better known as the Cotton Gin test to be drilled by A. P. Shirley et al, of Kansas City is to spud in the early part of the coming week, according to reliable information given out this morning.

The Young well in Freestone has been abandoned, it is learned, at a depth of 3507 feet.

The O. K. well southeast of Teague 6 miles is idle at 3625.

The Green test, 4 miles East of Teague is fishing.

At present it appears that a large number of Mexiaties will witness the game at College Station Thanksgiving between the Texas A & M. College and the University of Texas. According to reports from both institutions, tickets are selling rapidly. Anyone wanting tickets for seats in the A. & M. section should write at once to College Station and those wanting seats in the Texas University section should write to Austin.

City Fathers Inspecting Cleaning Methods

Mayor Ernest Watson, Commissioners Wilson and Forrest and R. D. Morgan are in Dallas today inspecting street cleaners with the idea of purchasing one to sweep Mexia streets with. The officials are anxious to equip the city with the most modern and economical street cleaning systems. With the end of the paving program in sight, they have decided it wise to act immediately in regard to the matter. Commissioner Rex Forrest has just returned from an automobile trip to Lubbock and visited several of the intervening progressive cities. He has been impressed with sanitary conditions confronted and all the City Fathers are making the trip today with an idea of making Mexia a better and more beautiful place in which to live.

OIL

Powell district of the Mexia oil fields today is yielding better than 300,000 barrels of high grade petroleum. The flow is curtailed to some extent by some of the largest gushers being pinched in.

This will be added to constantly throughout the next thirty days and it now seems that the field will attain the unheard of half a million barrels daily mark before the peak is reached and the new pool defined. At least, that is the way the most optimistic speak of the huge production.

Completion of a number of big wells within the last few days has given oil companies considerable to worry about in caring for the oil. Rail shipments are being rushed, but not enough can be handled in this way as to very greatly relieve the gravity of the situation.

A full is again experienced in activities generally. Although many drillings are under way and a number of new locations have been made, but several days will be required to hatch out the next big brood of wells. Several new completions always call for numbers of new drillings. Great numbers of completions are registered every few days as coming from an incubator.

The Witherspoon Oil company late Monday completed its Burke No. 8 test good for 2,000 barrels oil a day. This well is on the 37 1/2 acres Burke lease and is located just north of the U. S. Tex Oil corporation's four wells on its 15-acre lease. This territory was the first to be drilled on following the completion of the Hughes-McKie gusher May 8. The U. S. Tex brought in the first well following the Hughes-McKie. The Witherspoon company has a total of eight wells and several others drilling.

Germany Faces Secessionist Revolt And Food Riots In Berlin

While engaged in fighting the separatists in the Rhineland and communists in Hamburg, the German government is confronted with a new peril—food riots in Berlin.

Food shops were plundered by mobs following the announcement that the price of bread had been increased.

German ministers are receiving dispatches telling of disorders, and heard almost beneath their windows the cries of the hungry crowds rioting.

To add to the troubles of the Central Government the former Bavarian province declared its autonomy. It is not clear, however, if it is intended to secede.

Meanwhile the "Rhineland Republic" rebels are still struggling to establish a separate state and make good secession. Rebels are reported to have the upper hand in sixteen cities. There are no accurate estimate of casualties in the Rhineland.

At Hamburg, twenty-two are dead and two hundred are wounded. The city is under a flotilla of guns and order is restored, and the communist uprising is suppressed.

Bremen communists quit their jobs on the water front and tied up shipping.

FOOTBALL CRAZE SWEEPS NATION SAYS U. P. WRITER

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—Attendance records for early season football games were established last Saturday when five big games on the schedule averaged almost 40,000 spectators each.

This is a manifestation of unusual interest in the popular college game for such early season games and it is due to the fact that the games which in the past have been reserved for November features of the schedule are being played earlier.

New records will be made for the 1923 season and the attendance at the big games will increase just as much as the facilities are enlarged for the accommodation of the crowds.

Last Saturday's mark will pass for a certainty next Saturday and on each succeeding week through the schedule. Harvard and Dartmouth may draw sixty thousand at Cambridge and Boston will have enough surplus to contribute at least 25,000 to Marquette-Boston College, a game that will bring the fine Marquette team to the East for the first time.

Centre and Pennsylvania will fill the new stadium at Franklin Field to its capacity of 50,000. Brown and Yale should draw at least 35,000 to the Yale Bowl which is only half its capacity.

Penn State and West Virginia, two undefeated teams in line for the Eastern championship may play before 35,000 or 40,000 in Yankee Stadium. Princeton and the Navy play in Baltimore and the crowd may go beyond 40,000 as it is the first time these two teams have played there.

Georgia Tech and Notre Dame, furnishing one of the feature games of the Middle West are sure to draw a great throng and Iowa and Ohio State are almost sure to pack the new Columbus Stadium which has a capacity of about 70,000. The East has already learned and the Middle West and South, if it is already not known there, will find out that football has reached such a place and it is a question of how many will be turned away from the games and not the number that will watch the big battles.

Yale athletic officials have already announced that all seats for the Yale-Army game on Nov. 3, have been disposed of "privately" and that no tickets will be placed on public sale.

Trapp Now Oklahoma Governor

The first impeachment order, charging misuse of State funds in the payment of T. P. Edwards, the Governor's chauffeur, was adopted shortly after 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, by a vote of 80 to 17. Upon article of two of the impeachment bill. Several House members were absent.

An hour later the second impeachment order was returned by the House after voting 75 to 23 upon Article 3. This bill impeached the Governor for directing the dispersal of the grand jury called in Oklahoma county which was halted by National Guardsmen under orders of the State executive.

With the passage of the second impeachment order, the House adjourned an hour later following the passage of the suspension resolution, 38 to 1. Senator Jack Barker, El Reno, cast the one negative vote against the resolution.

Governor Walton refused to discuss the action of the Legislature.

He declared he would be in his office at the Capitol today but refused to indicate what action would be taken in answer to the impeachment action.

Acting Governor Trapp early today declared "I shall be governed strictly by the law." Trapp was notified of his ascendancy to the governorship when he returned here after a business trip to Sapulpa last night.

The Senate resolution suspending the Governor was brief, reading: "The House of Representatives of the Ninth Legislature, pursuant to the provisions of the constitution, has filed with the Senate articles of impeachment."

J. C. Walton, Governor of Oklahoma, is charged with offenses made grounds of impeachment by the constitution.

"The filing of the articles with the Senate automatically suspends J. C. Walton as Governor and the office with its duties and compensations devolves upon the lieutenant-governor."

"Be it resolved by the Senate that the Governor and lieutenant-governor be advised as to their duties in this event and that the Secretary of Senate notify the two offices of the proceedings thus had and to present each of them a copy of this resolution."

Rapid voting and the return of additional impeachment charges by the House with the resumption of balloting was expected today, according to Speaker W. D. McBee.

"We have just started," McBee told the United Press.

"We are here to make a House cleaning and I am confident that there is sufficient evidence to support every charge listed in the committee's impeachment list," he stated.

Probability that additional charges would be made early this week was indicated by McBee. "The House committees have continued their investigations and it is expected they will be ready to lay supplementary charges before the House by the time the pres-

ent list is passed upon," he asserted. The passing over of Article one, of the twenty-two committee charges for later consideration and the immediate roll call upon Article Two was a carefully laid plan, according to the speaker. The plan was adopted following the report that Walton leaders in the House would resort to "filibustering" in attempts to delay roll call on the opening charge, McBee stated.

Suspension of Governor Walton from office will cause no break in the legislative investigation, according to McBee. "We shall go ahead with the Governor suspended just as if he were still in office," he declared.

"The committees are turning up 'pay dirt' daily in their search. There are yet startling revelations to be made and they will be made. There will be no pussyfooting or whitewash," he asserted.

Governor Walton has ten days in which to file an answer with the Senate in reply to charges made against him by the House.

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"FOR GOD AND COUNTRY"

(Address of Ren B. Hunt at American Legion Luncheon, Mexia, October 13rd.)

Mr. Post Commander, Ladies and Gentlemen:

Your post commander has just stated that I can have at least thirty minutes for this address. It reminds me of a story they tell about Captain Bill McDonald, the famous Ranger. A number of years ago they sent him down to a south Texas town to put a quietus on a notorious feud then raging in that community. The news was quickly circulated that Captain Bill was in town. One of the windiest members of the feud was in one of the town's saloons, making considerable conversation for the edification of his surrounding admirers as to what he would do to Captain Bill if the captain should come around to the saloon. Unknown to him, the captain was seated over in one corner of the saloon, taking in the conversation and after giving the windy feudist enough rope to hang himself, the captain walked over to him, tapping him on the shoulder and spoke in his astounded ear: "Brother, I'll give you just two minutes to get out of town." The astounded brother turned to Captain Bill and said: "Well, brother, you gave me just a minute and a half too much." So your post commander has given me considerably more time than I have the courage to use.

And speaking of your post commander, I want to say that he is not only the best post commander in Texas, the best lawyer you ever saw but the most versatile and accomplished poet of the present day. He is also a natural born humorist. Yesterday he and I were standing on the street corner engaged in animated conversation with the illustrious editor of the best paper in Texas, the Mexia News, of course, when the post commander said to the editor: "I have invited

Mr. Hunt to address the legion at luncheon tomorrow and in order for things not to be too dull, and to break the monotony, I have invited a vaudeville troupe to dine with us and give us some real entertainment!"

But speaking seriously, the privilege of addressing a session of the Legion is an honor which should stir the heart of any man. I appreciate deeply and sincerely the privilege you have conferred upon me. The personnel, purposes and idealism of your organization appeal to my imagination; and I feel that if every American citizen would learn by heart the preamble to your constitution the quality of our citizenship would be raised to a degree which would surpass our fondest hopes.

The American Legion—excepting only the Government of the United States—is the greatest secular organization on the face of the earth today. Its fountain of life springs from the noblest sentiment that ever stirred the human heart. The first four words of the preamble to its constitution are the noblest and most inspiring that ever fell from human lips. "For God and Country," says this great document, "we associate ourselves together for the following purposes," and then follows the greatest platform of citizenship the mind of man has ever constructed.

I wish that every man, woman and child would memorize that platform. I wish every church would teach it to its members; that every school would teach it to its pupils; that every lawyer, every doctor, every merchant, every farmer and every American worker would do his part toward sending it into every home and publishing it to the world,—to uphold and defend the constitution of the United States of America; to maintain law and order; to foster and perpetuate a one hundred per cent Americanism; to pre-

serve the memories and incidents of the Association in the great war; to inculcate a sense of individual obligation to the community, state and nation—and so on.

The need for these things is greater than you realize. Recently that great lawyer of Dallas, Texas, R. E. L. Saner who is now president of the American Bar Association, made the following statement in his report on American Citizenship:

"It is stated on competent authority that there are one million five hundred thousand radicals in this country who are clamoring for a change in our government from its present form to one of various degrees of communistic state; that there are four hundred newspapers and periodicals that represent similar views; that they are read by five million people; and that three million dollars was spent during the past year in behalf of 'Red' propaganda."

The Legion had already taken up the challenge of the "Reds" before Judge Saner made the above report, and the Legion has been carrying on the fight to foster and perpetuate a pure one hundred per cent Americanism ever since its organization. Let us stand by it in its program. Let us give it our untainted love; let us give it our unqualified support; let us shout its praises to the skies; let us lay our hearts by the side of theirs on our country's altar; let us march with it down the corridors of Time and let us say to this immortal legion: "Here we are. Use us as you will. Let us help you carry on. Let us help you teach the lessons of citizenship. Let us help you inspire the children of today with the truth that God and Country are one and inseparable—that no man can love God as he ought and not love his country too."

I say unto you that no man can love God as he ought and not at the same time love his country with all the power of his soul. If you are an American citizen be an American from the crown of your head to the sole of your feet. If you are an American—whether by birth or by adoption—let every pulse beat, every heart throb, every hope and every aim and aspiration be for your country's good.

A man who does not place God and Country first; who does not love his own country better than any other country on the face of the earth; who does not give to his country his unselfish and unquestioned devotion, is unworthy of citizenship in any country and has no right to call himself an American.

There is nothing worse than a man without a country—unless, as the sweet old maid said, it be a country without a man.

The American Legion has indeed a great opportunity. On its foundation rests the future of this republic. It placed this responsibility on its own shoulders when after the war it perfected its organization and selected "For God and Country" as the opening words of its constitution. This sentiment inspired it on the battlefield.

And when its victorious far drums ceased to beat its martial strains of battle; when those martial strains were changed to songs of peace as the victors marched back into the duties of civil life; when the Legion then perfected its organization of peace and selected its inspiring motto of "God and Country" and set forth the plans and principles of its platform, it took upon itself a responsibility greater and more far reaching than that of war. And now it behooves you and me and every other citizen of this republic to uphold the hands of the Legion as faithfully and as unselfishly as was ever done in time of war. Are we equal to the opportunity? Are we worthy of the obligation? The answer depends on whether or not we can say down deep in our heart, whatever I do as an American citizen shall be done for God and my country.

"For God and Country!" How we ought to thank the Legion for those inspiring words! They stir us with their beauty. They thrill and enthrall us with their grandeur. They move to the highest flights of eloquence, arouse the purest patriotism and inspire the most unselfish service the world has ever known.

For God and Country! What a noble sentiment. What an inspiring motto. What a sublime ideal. Let us shout the words from every housetop. Send them forth into every home. Emblazon them across the sky. Sink them deep into the heart of every child. Write them across the doorway of every school and engrave them on the altar of every church. Then you need not fear for the destiny of your country. Its institutions will never be imperiled. Generations yet unborn will uphold and defend its constitution; law and order will be maintained; liberty and freedom will reign supreme and the blood of pure Americanism will flow through every throbbing breast.

I say, All hail to the American Legion! All hail to every man and woman who shouts its praises to the sky! All hail to every boy and girl whose heart is instilled with the noble and inspiring sentiment on which the Legion is founded.



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Visit to Texas

Otis Tucker of Kokomo, Indiana and L. A. Smith of Teague were here today. Mr. Tucker and family are visiting L. A. Smith and family in the neighboring town of Teague. They arrived the early part of the week and will leave the latter part of this week.

Mr. Tucker states that his section of the country is entering upon a period of prosperity. Kokomo is a factory town of about 40,000 people. There are about 100 factories in the vicinity of Kokomo, including manufacturing institutions for the Haynes automobile, the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company, quite a number of fence and gate manufacturers, etc. This is his first visit to Texas and he is much pleased with his early impressions. Mrs. Tucker and Mrs. Smith are sisters.

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ROTARY LUNCHEON
THURSDAY NOON

The Rotary club will hold its usual weekly luncheon at the Majestic dining room Thursday at noon. An interesting program is planned and some business will occupy a part of the period. Every member is urged to be present.

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Making and the troubles in his way,
Then you find that he is different
Than you thought him yesterday.
You find his faults are trivial,
And there's not so much to blame
In the Shriner that you jeer at
When you only knew his name.

You are quick to see the blemish
In the distant Shriner's style,
You can point to all his errors,
And may sneer at him the while
And your prejudices fatten and
Your hates more violent grow
As you talk about the failures
Of the Shriner you don't know,
But when drawn a little closer,
And your hands and shoulders touch,
And find the traits you hated
Really don't amount to much.

When you get to know a Shriner,
Know his every mood and whim,
You begin to find the texture
Of the splendid side of him;
You begin to understand him,
And you cease to scoff and sneer,
For with understanding always,
Prejudices disappear.
You begin to find his virtues
And his faults you cease to tell,
For you seldom hate a Shriner
When you know him very well.

When next you start in sneering,
And your phrases turn to blame,
Know more of him you censure
Than his business and his name;
For it's likely that acquaintance
Would your prejudice dispel,
And you'd really come to like him
If you know him very well.
When you get to know a Shriner,
And you understand his ways,
Then faults won't really matter,
For you'll find a lot to praise.

STANGS

DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 24.—Armstrong Field is the scene of intensive action this week as Coaches Morrison and Freeland drive the Mustangs towards the big goal of the year the opening Conference game with Texas A. & M. at College Station on Friday, October 23. The 35 to 0 victory of S. M. U. over the Missouri Miners from Rolla Tuesday at Fair Park gave the coaches grounds for comparison with A. & M. after the latter's victory over Sewanee on the same field a few days earlier. And in spite of the heavy tally against the Miners, the mentors do not believe that S. M. U. has advanced as far as yet as the Aggies. But nine days intervene between the Miner and Aggie games with cool weather settling in and a lot can be accomplished in that time.

The coaches point to one glaring feature in the two games—A. & M. drew ten yards in penalties against Sewanee—S. M. U. was soaked 85 yards by Ramp, Sweeney, and Utay, and a penalty is as poor football as a fumble—poorer as a fumble may not cost ground and a penalty always does. The salutary lesson learned in the Miner game is the biggest object one the squad could have.

S. M. U. interference improved materially between the Austin and Miner games except on end plays, but the brushes inside and out tackle, over center, were well developed. The line formations have been brought out sharply. S. M. U. did not use the pass much against the Miners but occasionally resorted to it to gain good football where the opposition is not proving especially alert as was the case with the Miners.

The Mustangs got a lot out of the game with the Miners in spite of the one-sided score. The line was tested by puzzling plays that at first they failed to gauge, and the fact was developed that S. M. U. has a three man field goal threat inside of reasonable distance. The Miners would have helped S. M. U. materially had the game come second on this year's schedule.

S. M. U. does not play another game until November 3 when it plays T. C. U. here in the second game of the

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The boys club, which is in the process of organization up at the high school is creating quite a bit of interest not only among the boys of the school but among the men of the town as well. The boys met Monday afternoon and elected W. B. Kendrick as temporary chairman. W. B. appointed Charley Wofford, chairman of the constitution and by-laws committee; Machon Forrest, chairman of the names committee and Marvin Bennett, chairman of the general program committee. Thursday they will meet again, at which time they hope to adopt a definite constitution upon which to build their permanent organization. Then, they will be able to elect permanent officers.

The following boys constitute the charter members:
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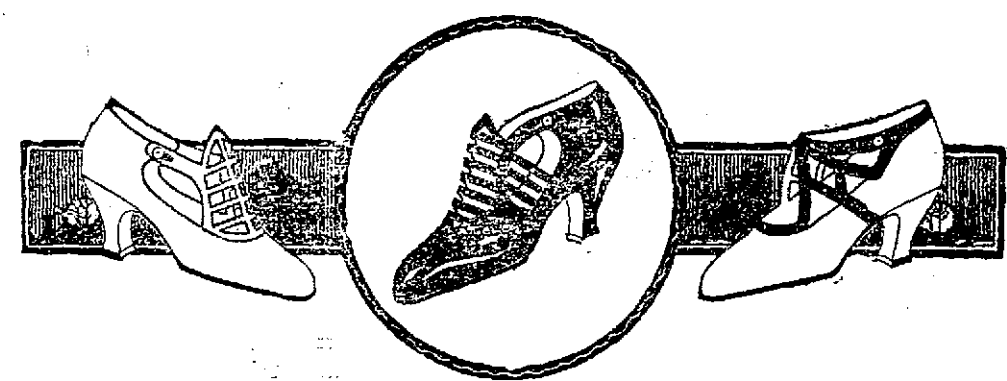
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DEMOCRATS SAY LOWER TARIFF FOR FARMER

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Trustworthy reports that Secretary of the Treasury Mellon is to urge Congress to make a further reduction in the higher surtaxes on large incomes are expected to give new pertinence and impetus to the movement for a decrease in the Fordney-McCumber tariff. Secretary Mellon is said to favor scaling surtaxes with the object of "putting money into productive and taxable ventures" and thus improving business and industry. The advocates of lower tariff seek to cut the cost of living and restore the parity between the prices of agricultural products and those of manufactures which are now getting practically all the "protection" provided by the Fordney-McCumber Act.

Income and profits taxes collected in the fiscal year 1923 aggregated 1,689,159,917. Of this sum about a third represented surtaxes. The Fordney-McCumber bill is taking a toll of \$4,000,000,000 a year from consumers. The Government receives only about \$500,000,000 of the four billions which the tariff adds to the cost of living.

This annual tax of four billions on consumption averages \$36 per capita, while the income and profits taxes average a little more than \$15 per capita. All the money gathered as income taxes, less the cost of collection, goes into the Federal Treasury. Only \$ of every \$100 paid by consumers in the form of tariff goes to the Government.

Democrats contend that a reduction of the tariff would be of greater assistance to business and industry—particularly agriculture—than a decrease in surtaxes would be, and it is precast that they will press for a downward revision of present duties as soon as the next Congress convenes. Recent scientific analyses of the effect of the Fordney-McCumber law on the cost of living in several States in the South and West convince the Democrats that a cut in the tariff would be as popular as it is necessary. Not more than 700,000 persons could benefit from a diminution of surtaxes, Democrats point out, while reduction of the tariff would mean saving to all consumers, including 1,000,000 people on farms.

The Fair Tariff League, a protectionist organization whose membership is largely Republicans has shown that the Fordney-McCumber law is costing Kansas more than \$66,000,000, Texas \$175,000,000, Washington \$51,000,000, and Oregon \$28,700,000 each year over and above any gains derived from the tariff. Statistics just issued by the Department of Commerce disclose that the total revenues of the State of Washington in 1922 were \$22,484,807, or \$15.99 per capita.

In addition to these charges for the maintenance of the State government, the people of Washington paid into the Federal Treasury a total of \$9,094,764, or \$6.70 per capita, as profits and income taxes.

While the combined State and Federal taxes in Washington were \$22.69 per capita in 1922, the tariff alone represented a tax of \$38.30 per capita in 1922-23, according to the Fair Tariff League. Of the sum that each consumer paid in tariff only \$4.81 went into the Federal Treasury. The remainder—\$33.69—was taken by private interests favored by Fordney-McCumber law. The Democrats cite these statistical facts to prove that if all the income and profits taxes were cut in two, the saving to the people of Washington would be only \$3.35 per capita, whereas a decrease of 50 per cent in the tariff would reduce the cost of living by \$19.25 per capita or \$96.25 for each family.

Reduction of surtaxes will necessarily impair Federal revenues, the Democrats point out, while a decrease of the tariff as a whole or a scaling of duties on certain items like woolen goods, steel and iron products, sugar, etc., will not significantly affect customs receipts, which under the Fordney-McCumber law are but 12½ per cent of all the toll which it takes from consumers.

"DR. JEKYL AND MR. HYDE" AT OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT

Just one thrill after another, with a laugh as a chaser, is in store for Opera House fans tonight, when "The Ferguson Brothers Stock Company presents "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde." The cast had been rehearsed for the more up-to-the-minute romantic drama, "Within The Law" for the week-end change, but there came a call so insistent for the sensational tale of Jekyll and Hyde, that Ferguson decided to give this play.

The public is acquainted with "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," so far as the story goes. For weirdness and mystery its author outdid Poe in his proudest achievements, and for suddenly developing intensely dramatic situations no builder of dime-novel heroes has ever approached it. Its action is nerve-racking in its appeal to the imagination and because of this unusual quality of the book, the playwright wisely wove into the stage version a thread of comedy that is wholesome and amusing.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff of any Constable of Limestone County—Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon S. W. Johnson, J. W. McWilliams, H. P. Tate by making pub-

lication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Limestone County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Groesbeck, Texas, on the First Monday in November, A. D. 1923, the same being the 6th day of November, A. D. 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 12th day of October, A. D. 1923, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 4007-B, wherein A. E. Rosson and J. L. Cogdell are Plaintiffs and S. W. Johnson, O. L. Lusk, W. R. Jones, J. W. McWilliams, H. P. Tate, and Texas Trust Company are Defendants, and said petition alleging that on January 21, 1921, plaintiffs jointly executed a drilling contract and contract for leases to be executed and delivered to defendant, S. W. Johnson; that said contract is of record in Volume 111, page 206, deed records of Limestone County, Texas. That in pursuance of said contract plaintiffs did execute and deliver to S. W. Johnson (whose initials in A. E. Rosson instrument by inadvertence were reversed and show as W. S. Johnson) Oil and Gas leases covering Blocks or lots 5, 7, 13, 18, 19, 26, 27 and South half of Lots 20 and 25, and 200 acres out of the P. Lloyd and D. Varela surveys, together with lots 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55 and 57 (as shown by map and plat of the A. E. Rosson 1073 acre ranch and a portion of the J. L. Cogdell Estate. That the total acreage of both leases was 684 acres, 406 being out of the Rosson land and 234 out of J. L. Cogdell Estate, that the lease contracts are recorded in the deed records of Limestone County, Texas, in Vol. 112, page 173, and Vol. 113, page 387, which records give complete descriptions of the lands leased. Each of said leases provides as follows: "Should the first well drilled on the above described land be a dry hole, then and in that event if a second well is not begun on said land within twelve months thereafter, this lease shall terminate as to both parties, unless the lessee, on or before the expiration of said twelve months, shall resume the payment of rental in the

same manner as hereinbefore provided." That said S. W. Johnson and his assigns did drill one well on said lands in accordance with the conditions of said drilling contract and leases; that said well was finished and abandoned before and on the 18th day of August, 1921, same being a dry hole or non-producing well. That no other well was begun on said premises until more than one year after the abandonment of said well on August 18th, 1921; that no one paid any rental on said land or any portion of it, on or before the expiration of one year after the lease abandonment, nor has any one paid a rental thereon until this day, thereby forfeiting all rights under the said leases.

Plaintiffs further aver that said S. W. Johnson and his assigns assigned to defendants W. R. Jones, O. L. Lusk, J. W. McWilliams and Texas Trust Company, at several and diverse times various and diverse interests in various and different and in overlapping acreages covered by the above said leases and leased premises; that though some of them have assigned portions of their interest and released parts of their respective interests, yet each party named still holds in his name certain purported respective interests in parts of the above said premises and leased acreage, having failed and refused to release same in accordance with the law applying to lessees and their releasing such interest on forfeiture of same or an abandonment of efforts to develop same. That said H. P. Tate avers certain interests existing under a memorandum agreement between him self and W. C. Rosson, who had no legal right or power to bind said plaintiffs or either of them, thereby deriving no interest under any instrument of writing given and executed by W. C. Rosson.

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Plaintiffs aver that they have been damaged in a sum of \$500.00 in that they expended money and attorney fees in bringing this suit as well as loss of time to themselves, all of which damage amounts to \$500.00 or more. Wherefore, premises considered, plaintiffs pray the court that citation issue to defendants, and that upon a hearing that they be granted judgment declaring all said leases to S. W. (W. S.) Johnson, together with all assignments under said leases or either of them, null and void and of no further force or effect, and for judgment in the sum of \$500.00 as damages against defendants for their having failed and refused to release their purported interests in and to said lands, and for their costs in this behalf incurred, and such other relief as they may be entitled.

Herein Fail Not, and have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Groesbeck, Texas, this 12 day of October, A. D. 1923.

Johnson Wakefield, Clerk,
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Local News

E. Booth of Waco is here today.

Blake Smith was in Corsicana Tuesday.

T. E. Larrison of Corsicana is in the city.

H. B. Danville of Coleman is here today.

Tom M. Price of Cooper is among visitors here.

Mrs. DeWitt Lamb attended the Dallas fair today.

J. Smith is here today from Waco attending to business.

Noel Hollingsworth was a Groesbeck visitor Tuesday.

Emile Nussbaum and wife were Waco visitors Tuesday.

Miss Mary Forrest was a Dallas visitor the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith were Dallas visitors last week-end.

A. L. Higdon of Lampasas is a local business visitor this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vaiden were Dallas visitors the past few days.

Benton Jones spent Monday and Tuesday in Corsicana on business.

David Murphy was a business visitor to Groesbeck Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. G. W. Perkins was a passenger on the special train to Dallas this morning.

Mrs. Thomas Leon Bramlette was a visitor from Groesbeck last Sunday and Monday.

Joe Rhome of Coolidge was here Tuesday. He is with Higdon-McElroy Coolidge store.

Mrs. Story and Troy Jackson of Groesbeck have been guests of friends here this week.

G. W. Jenkins of the Higdon-McElroy store at Coolidge was a Mexia visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Sam Cox is visiting friends in Mart and will go from there to Grand Opera in Waco.

R. R. Thompson came over from Teague this morning to catch the special train to Dallas.

Mesdames Ben Smith, Blake Smith Nelson Forrest were Waco visitors Monday, going by auto.

W. B. Landrum is a Fort Worth business visitor this week. He will return Wednesday night.

John Gantt of Terrell visited Monday in the homes of his daughters, Mrs. W. K. Boyd and Mrs. E. L. Smith.

Former County Clerk Porter Brown

came up from Groesbeck this morning to take advantage of the special train to Dallas.

Mrs. Margaret Knoff is able to be out again, to the delight of her host of friends. She has been ill for the past several days.

Mrs. Tevis Morrow is reported better today and improving constantly after a siege of illness lasting for the past several weeks.

Sandford Smith, Walter Womack, Ben Smith, Arch Stevens, and Charlie Stevens have gone to the Trinity on a fishing excursion.

J. F. Lent of Denison is in the oil field this week. He was one of the party who drilled the McFall test four miles Northeast of town.

Mrs. May Shelton has as her guests this week a delightful party from Ranker. They are Miss Dook Bobo and brother, Holliford Bobo and Mrs. Bob Hunt.

The special Klan train that passed through Mexia Tuesday afternoon was from San Antonio, and contained five coaches full of people. Klan signs decorated each car in the train.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Griffith and baby of Dallas are here spending a two weeks vacation and are the guests of Bob's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Griffith on North Canton street.

F. P. Werner is staff cartoonist for the Special Shrine edition that is to be distributed throughout this section next Sunday and Monday. Mr. Werner has produced some very exceptional cartoons advertising the Shrine Minstrel in this city. These are attracting general approval wherever seen.

A. A. Steele has moved the little shack from in front of his home on North Sherman street, next door to the Little Texas hotel, to his place corner Red River and Sumpter, and will use it for a garage. This was the last of the shacks built in front of his home place on Sherman by lessees, and the place now looks like it did before the boom.

The Mexia-Waco road is said to be in better condition now than ever before. The Lone Star Stage line makes the trip as regular as any train service, the afternoon Waco bound car leaving here at 5:30 with Mr. Bowman at the wheel. The Waco end of the road has been gravelled and beaten down so that time may be made over it without trouble and many are using the highway daily.

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The Weather.

Tonight and Thursday unsettled, colder. Probably rain Thursday.

"ALICE ADAMS" TRUE TO STAR'S PROMISE

When Florence Vidor announced that she would put Booth Tarkington's

prize novel, "Alice Adams," on the screen she declared that she would make her Alice Adams Booth Tarkington's Alice Adams. "In fact, I hope," she said, "when the first scene is flashed, it will seem as if this great story teller is dipping his pen into the ink and inscribing the drama upon the screen."

Miss Vidor has kept her word! Even as the book, the photoplay begins with early morning in the Adams household where we start the day with the convalescent head of the house, Virgil Adams, with his trained nurse; Mrs. Adams in her wrapper and morning cap; Walter reading the paper and eating breakfast while their negro maid-of-all-work grumbles; and lastly Alice posing before the triple mirrors of her dressing table.

Straight through the book the picture goes. There is the Palmer's ball to which Alice is unwillingly escorted by her brother; there is the walk with Russell and their meeting with Walter; Alice's and Russell's evening on the porch; Mrs. Adams' incessant nagging of her husband; his arguments; the heavy dinner on a hot night with father in his evening clothes; Walter's disgrace; the glue factory and then Russell's disillusionment and Alice's realization of the real way to build her life. In every delightfully humorous and amusingly serious or seriously amusing detail "Alice Adams" on the screen is Booth Tarkington's "Alice Adams" in words. This is to the tremendous credit of Rowland V. Lee, who adapted and directed the picture.

"Alice Adams" should certainly be visited, not only by very natural photoplay lover, but especially by those who are for only the exceptions screen offering. It is one of the new Encore Pictures released by Associated Exhibitors and will be the attraction at the National Theatre Wednesday and Thursday.



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Mexia Twenty Years Ago

Compiled By N. P. Houz
From Files of Mexia Evening News
Of Oct. 24, 1913.

W. D. Vickers and wife have returned from a visit in Kirk.

Sandy King shipped a car load of beaves to Fort Worth yesterday.

Clay Colgin went out to Cotton Gin Sunday to visit his father, who is sick with pneumonia.

Miss Lula Mae Beckham came home from Sherman Saturday evening, where she is attending Kidd-Key college.

This morning Jesse Denning closed a contract with J. D. Jackson and John Davis to make some marked improvements on the Prendergast, Smith & Co. bank building. The front of the building will be remodeled, and a corner entrance put in. The inside will be ceiled with steel and other improvements made, which, when finished, will make this one of the most imposing buildings in the city.

Henry Roller has had his dwelling recovered and a new covered gallery, with banisters placed around the north and east side.

A large crowd was in town Saturday and business was lively.

Editorial.—The Groesbeck Journal has been enlarged from a 5-column to a 6-column quarto. We are glad to see this evidence of prosperity in the Journal.

Miss Esther Lewis is on the sick list.

Mrs. Hugh Everett is reported as being no better.

W. R. Storey and M. E. Roberts shipped a car of sweet potatoes and ribbon cane to Hillsboro today.

Corley Furn. Co. Is Branching Out

The small cottage just west of John R. Corley's residence on Carthage street is being remodeled and enlarged, and when completed will be used as headquarters for the Undertaking Department of the John R. Corley Furniture company. It will be arranged for a store room, office and chapel and will be strictly up-to-date. This will leave more room at the furniture store on Commerce street for the increasing furniture business of this growing concern, the pioneer in the furniture business.

HOME RUNS AND SMOKES

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, Oct. 24.—Casey Stengel "The Old Man of Baseball" will have a long memory of the two homeruns he knocked during the world's series. Fire ladders of Waxahachie sent him a carton of Home Run cigarettes.

MAYORS' DAY AT FAIR

DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 24.—Today was Texas League of Municipalities Day at the state fair here. Headed by Mayor W. E. Lea, of Orange, president of the League, and a score or more chief executives of state municipalities were here to attend the exposition.

SAN ANTONIO.—A new street car line is under construction here along Guadalupe and South Zarmora streets for a distance of a mile and half.

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MRS. LINDA McADAMS.
24-7

GREENVILLE.—Extensive additions and betterments to the plant and equipment of the Greenville Telephone Company are now under construction. A modern rest room for women employees is a part of the improvements.

MERCEDES.—The city council here has granted a franchise to the Valley Electric and Ice Company. In addition to an electric light plant the company is to establish a filtration plant for city water.

ENNIS.—Arrangements are being made by the Texas Electric Railway to build a new station at West Baylor and North Dallas streets.

FOR RENT.—Modern furnished apartment on Hopkins street. Gas, lights and water. Phone 319-W. 24L7



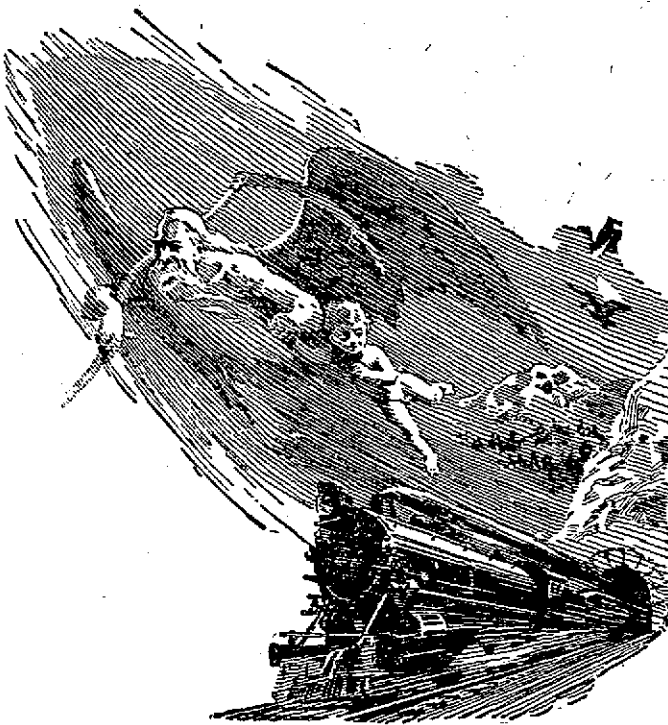
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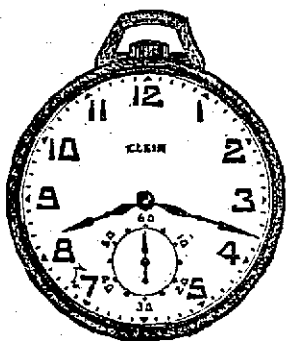
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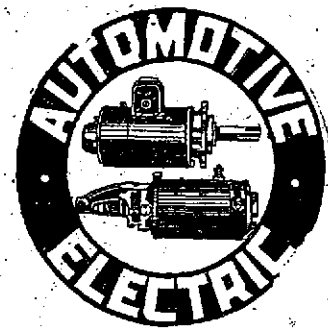
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HARRIE MEEK

Jewelry Department
MEXIA DRUG COMPANY

TYLER.—The Utilities Finance Corporation has been incorporated here with S. A. Lindsey, R. B. Still, and C. W. Jacobs as incorporators. The object is to provide for financing capital requirements of independent telephone companies.

DALLAS.—The Dallas railway handled a record crowd of children for children's day at the Texas State Fair last week and repeated its performance of past years by transporting the thousands safely and without an accident of any kind.



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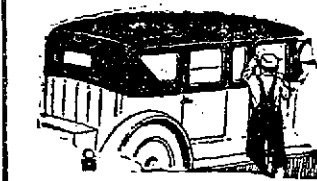
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WANTED—Two neat appearing men
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WE SELL and exchange all kinds of
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Wood Tank. Two Galvanized Tanks,
50 and 75 barrel each. One iron Oil
Tank 20 barrels. 70 Horse engine. One
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Call for Mr. J. E. Mayes. 52B6
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Dr. Holton was in from Prairie Hill
and went to Dallas this morning.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Limestone County—Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to sum-
mon Rufus Ellis by making publication
of this Citation once in each week for
four consecutive weeks previous to the
return day hereof, in some newspaper
published in your County, to appear
at the next regular term of the District
Court of Limestone County, to be
held at the Court House thereof, in

Groesbeck, Texas, on the first Mon-
day in November, A. D. 1923; the same
being the 5th day of November, A. D.
1923, then and there to answer a
petition filed in said Court on the 3rd
day of October, A. D. 1923, in a suit,
numbered on the docket of said Court
as No. 3796-B, wherein Elmota Ellis
is plaintiff, and Rufus Ellis is de-
fendant, and said petition alleging
that plaintiff and defendant were
legally married March 9th, 1917, and
lived together until about two years
ago; that defendant pursued a course
of cruelty and abuse toward plaintiff
that was of such a nature as to render
their further living together insup-
portable; Defendant failed to support
plaintiff, failing to supply her with
either food or clothing; that he often
abused plaintiff physically by fighting
and whipping her, and that he asso-
ciated with other women in adulterous
actions.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays that de-
fendant be cited in terms of law to
appear and answer, and upon hearing
that she have judgment dissolving the
bonds of matrimony between plaintiff
and defendant.

Herein fail not, and have before
said Court, at its aforesaid next regu-
lar term, this writ with your return
thereon, showing how you have exe-
cuted the same.

Given under my hand and the seal
of said court, at office in Groesbeck,
Texas, this the 11th day of October,
A. D. 1923.

JOHNSON WAKEFIELD, Clerk
District Court, Limestone County,
By RUBY LAWLEY, Deputy.
Oct. 12-19-26 Nov. 2.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Limestone.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue
of a certain order of sale issued out of
the Honorable District Court of Lime-
stone county, of the 12th day of Octo-
ber, 1923, by the District Clerk of said
Limestone county for the sum of Eight
Hundred Eighty 35-100 dollars and
costs of suit, under a Vendor's Lien, in
favor of H. W. Green, in a certain
cause in said court, No. 3517-A and
styled H. W. Green vs. Maud Whitley,
Lena Mae Whitley, John Whitley, W.
A. Green and Omie Green, placed in
my hands for service, I, Whit Popejoy,
as sheriff of Limestone county, Texas,
did, on the 12th day of October, 1923,
levy on certain real estate, situated in
Limestone county, Texas, described as
follows, to-wit:

All that certain lot or parcel of land
lying and being situated in Limestone
county, Texas, and being 45 acres more
or less out of the Pedro Varela Eleven
League Grant, beginning at the cor-
ner of Bennett's land in the Groesbeck
and Hubbard Road; Thence S. 60 W.
107 yards to a corner of the Abernathy
tract; Thence N. 30 W. 255 yards to
said road; Thence on a direct line with
said road to the beginning and levied
upon as the property of Maud Whitley,
Lena Mae Whitley, John Whitley, W.
A. Green and Omie Green, and that on
the first Tuesday in November, 1923,
the same being the 6th day of said
month, at the court house door of
Limestone county, in the town of
Groesbeck, Texas, between the hours
of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of
said levy and said order of sale, I will
sell said above described real estate
at public vendue, for cash, to the high-
est bidder, as the property of said
Maud Whitley, Lena Mae Whitley,
John Whitley, W. A. Green and Omie
Green.

And in compliance with law, I give
this notice by publication, in the En-
glish language, once a week for three
consecutive weeks immediately preced-
ing said day of sale, in the Media Daily
News, a newspaper published in Lime-
stone county.

Witness my hand, this 12th day of
October, 1923.

WHIT POPEJOY
Sheriff Limestone County, Texas,
By N. P. HARRIS, Deputy.
Oct. 15-22-29

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Limestone.

Notice is hereby given that by vir-
tue of a certain order of sale issued out
of the Honorable District Court of
Limestone county, of the 13th day of

October, 1923, by the District Court
of said Limestone county, for the sum
of Seven hundred, Two Hundred Sixty
dollars and costs of suit, under a ven-
dor's lien, in favor of J. Sanford Smith
and Phil Karner, in a certain cause in
said court No. 2885, and styled J. San-
ford Smith and Phil Karner, vs. C. I.
Spencer, A. R. Jameson and D. L. Cam-
bell, placed in my hands for service, I,
Whit Popejoy, as sheriff of Limestone
county, Texas, did, on the 15th day of
October, 1923, levy on certain real es-
tate situated in Limestone county,
Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Being lots fourteen (14) fifteen (15)
seventeen (17) and eighteen (18) in
division S. in the city of Mexia,
Limestone county, Texas, and levied
upon as the property of C. I. Spencer,
A. R. Jameson, and D. L. Campbell, and
that on the first Tuesday in November
1923, the same being the 6th day of
said month, at the court house door of
Limestone county, in the town of Groes-
beck, Texas, between the hours of 10
a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy
and said order of sale, I will sell said
above described real estate at public
vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder
as the property of said C. I. Spencer,
A. R. Jameson and D. L. Campbell.

And in compliance with law, I give
this notice by publication, in the En-
glish language, once a week for three
consecutive weeks immediately preced-
ing said day of sale, in the Media
Daily News, a newspaper published in
Limestone county.

Witness my hand this 15th day of
October, 1923.

WHIT POPEJOY,
Sheriff Limestone County, Texas.
By N. P. Harris, Deputy.
Oct. 15-22-29

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Limestone County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded, that you
summon by making publication of this
Citation in some newspaper published
in the County of Limestone if there be
a newspaper published therein, but if
not, then in the nearest County where
a newspaper is published, once in each
week for four consecutive weeks pre-
vious to the return day hereof, Jesse
Bond and Abe Goodman whose resi-
dence is unknown, to be and appear be-
fore the Hon. County Court, at the
next regular term thereof, to be held
in the County of Limestone, on the
5th day of November, A. D. 1923,
same being first Monday in November,
1923, at the Court House thereof, in
Groesbeck, then and there to answer
a petition filed in said Court, on the
25th day of July A. D. 1923, in a suit
numbered on the docket of said Court
No. 948, wherein D. A. Kerzee is
plaintiff, and Jesse Bond and Abe
Goodman are defendants.

The nature of the plaintiff's de-
mand being as follows, to-wit:
Plaintiff alleges, that on October
25th, 1922 defendants made, executed
and delivered to this plaintiff their
certain promissory note for the sum
of \$633.17, payable to the order of
plaintiff at Mexia, Texas, due and
payable on the 10th day of March, 1923
bearing interest at rate of 10% a year
from its date until paid, and providing
for 10% additional on the amount of
principal and accrued interest as at-
torneys fee and to pay all expenses of
collection and costs of court, if it
should not be paid at maturity, where-
by defendants became liable and bound,
individually and collectively, to plain-
tiff and promised to pay to plaintiff
the sum of money specified in said
note, all accrued interest, and attorney
fees and costs of collection, including
court costs, according to the tenor and
effect thereof.

That plaintiff has placed said note
in the hands of attorneys for collection
and has contracted and agreed to pay
them 10% stipulated for in said note,
same being reasonable and the usual
and customary attorney fee in such
matters. That said note is past due
and unpaid; and defendants, though
often requested, have failed and re-
fused heretofore and now fail and re-
fuse to pay said note or any part of
it, to plaintiff's damage in the sum of
\$1000.00, in that he has lost his
principal sum, his interest thereon and
the investment and earning power of
said principal and interest since March
10th, last, and has contracted to pay
the attorney fee provided for in said
note and is under obligations to pay
the court costs, etc.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays the
court that defendants be cited to ap-
pear and answer this petition, and

that he have judgment for his principal
sum of \$633.17, for interest thereon
since October 25th, 1923 at rate of
10% a year, for his attorney fees as
provided for in said note, for his costs
of suit, for all costs expended in this
behalf, and for his damages over and
above these items, making a total
judgment of \$1000.00, and for such
other and further relief, general and
special, in equity and in law that
plaintiff may be justly and legally en-
titled to, and in honor bound will ever
pray, etc.

Herein fail not, and have you before
said Court, on the said first day of
the next term thereof, this Writ with
your endorsement thereon, showing
how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of
said Court, at office in Groesbeck,
this, the 11th day of October, A. D.
1923.

J. L. DAY, Clerk County Court
Limestone County, Texas.
By ANNA BURNEY, Deputy.
Oct. 12-19-26-Nov. 2.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Limestone County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to sum-
mon David Collins by making publi-
cation of this citation once in each
week for four consecutive weeks pre-
vious to the return day hereof, in
some newspaper published in your
county, to appear at the next regular
term of the District Court of Lime-
stone county, to be held at the
court house thereof, in Groesbeck,
Texas on the 1st Monday in November,
A. D. 1923, the same being the 5th
day of November, A. D. 1923, then
and there to answer a petition filed in
said court on the 6th day of October
ber, A. D. 1923, in a suit, numbered
on the docket of said court as No.
3913-B, wherein Mamie Collins is de-
fendant and said petition alleging Plain-
tiff seeks defendant for divorce on the
grounds of abandonment for more
than three years.

Herein fail not and have before
said court, at its aforesaid next regu-
lar term, this writ with your return
thereon showing how you have exe-
cuted the same.

Given under my hand and the seal
of said court at office in Groesbeck
Texas, this the 6th day of October, A.
D. 1923.

JOHNSON WAKEFIELD
Clerk District Court, Limestone Co.,
A true copy I certify.

WHIT POPEJOY
Sheriff Limestone County, Texas,
By N. P. Harris, Deputy.
Oct. 8 15 22 29

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Limestone County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to sum-
mon J. R. Alford by making publi-
cation of this Citation once in each
week for four consecutive
weeks previous to the return day
hereof, in some newspaper in your
County, to appear at the next regu-
lar term of the District Court of
Limestone County, to be held at the
Court House thereof, in Groes-
beck, Texas, on the first Monday in
November, A. D. 1923, the same being
the 5th day of November, A. D.
1923, then and there to answer an
amended petition filed in said Court
on the 4th day of October, A. D.
1923, in a suit, numbered on the doc-
ket of said Court as No. 2456, where-
in Berry Barnett Grocery Company,
a corporation, is plaintiff, and N. F.
Ferguson, J. A. Underwood, C. B.
Jackson and J. R. Alford are de-

fendants, said petition alleging that
N. F. Ferguson, J. A. Underwood
and C. B. Jackson are partners and
doing business under the firm name
of Commercial Hotel Company, and
J. R. Alford was doing business un-
der the trade name of the Rex Cafe;
that plaintiff at the special instance
and request of the defendant, Com-
mercial Hotel Company sold to them
on the several dates specified in an
account certain goods, wares and mer-
chandise being groceries needed in
running said business; that in con-
sideration of the sale of said goods,
defendant promised to pay therefor
the amount charged in said account,
being \$604.20; that on October 14,
1921, plaintiff at the instance and
request of defendant Rex Cafe sold
and delivered to it goods, wares and
merchandise which said Rex Cafe
agreed to pay to the amount charg-
ed therefor same being \$620.68, that
said cafe was run by J. R. Alford
until December 16, 1921, when he
sold an interest in said cafe to the
Commercial Hotel Company; that at
that time said cafe owed this plain-
tiff the sum of \$589.88; that on or
about December 16, 1921, J. R. Al-
ford doing business under the name
of Rex Cafe being indebted to the
Mexia Wholesale Grocery Company
in the sum of \$573.92 the said N. F.
Ferguson, and J. R. Alford repre-
sented to plaintiff that the said sum
of \$573.92 would not have to be paid
within thirty days if he, the said
Ferguson, would purchase an interest
in the Rex Cafe; that said Com-
mercial Hotel Company would pay
said \$573.92 within thirty days;
plaintiff agreed to said contract and
in pursuance thereof the said Fer-
guson, Underwood and Jackson pur-
chased an interest in said Cafe and
in consideration thereof promised to
pay plaintiff and the Mexia Whole-
sale Grocery Company the amount
mentioned. That the said J. R. Al-
ford transferred to the Mexia Com-
mercial Hotel Company an interest
in the Rex Cafe and placed them in
possession thereof.

Plaintiff would show to the Court
that on November 8, 1921, and Janu-
ary 13, 1922, the Mexia Wholesale
Company sold and delivered to the
Rex Cafe certain goods, wares and
merchandise being groceries for
which said Cafe agreed to pay the
amount set out in said account the
total being the sum of \$620.68; that
J. R. Alford at that time was the
owner of said Cafe, the said Alford
being indebted to a number of per-
sons among whom was the Mexia
Wholesale Grocery Company who
sold to said Commercial Hotel Com-
pany the said Rex Cafe, agreed to
pay said Mexia Wholesale Grocery
Company the indebtedness that the
Rex Cafe then owed the Mexia
Wholesale Grocery Company. And
afterwards incurred debts to the
amount of \$100.35 which it promised
to pay the Mexia Wholesale Groc-
ery Company. That afterwards the
manager of the Rex Cafe gave to
said Grocery Company its check for
\$492.71 which check was turned
down and not paid. That on Janu-
ary 14, 1922, said Hotel Company
gave a check to said Wholesale Groc-
ery Company for the sum of \$106.
35 which check was turned down.
Plaintiff would show that it has
purchased of said Mexia Wholesale
Grocery Company for a valuable con-
sideration the indebtedness due said
Grocery Company from the Rex
Cafe and the Commercial Hotel and
the same has not yet been paid and
plaintiff is entitled to recover said
account.

That all of the said accounts are
due and unpaid, and the defendants
and each of them have refused to
pay any part to plaintiff's damage
in the sum of \$1845.14.

WHEREFORE, plaintiff prays the
court that defendants be cited to ap-
pear and answer this petition; that
upon a trial hereof they have judg-
ment for said \$1845.14 with interest
cost of suit, and such other and fur-
ther relief, as it may be entitled.

Herein Fail Not, and have before
said Court, at its aforesaid next regu-
lar term, this writ with your re-
turn thereon, showing how you have
executed the same.

Given Under My Hand and the
Seal of said Court, at office in

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suit, made to your own individual
measurements. It will look better, hold
its shape longer, wear better and feel
better. See our new showing of the
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priced. Better come in and leave your
measurements early.

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Mr. And Mrs. W. N. Odum Celebrate Their Golden Wedding Anniversary

Tuesday, October 23rd, was the scene of much joy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Odum at their home on the Comanche road three miles west of Mexia when the couple celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary. They have four children, all of whom were present with their children and grand children.

Mr. Odum was born December 30th, 1851, and Mrs. Odum was born October 1st, 1857. Both were born at Auburn, Tennessee, and were childhood sweethearts having gone to school together in childhood. Besides their four children they have twenty grandchildren and two great grandchildren living, the only ones being absent were several of the grandchildren who were unable to attend.

The Wedding Anniversary dinner was held at noon and only those who saw the feast can have any idea of that real old fashioned home cooking. In the center of the table was an immense circular cake almost two feet in diameter, with the words "Golden Anniversary" written across the surface in different colored icing. Smaller cakes were plentiful and the remarkable part of the feast was that Mrs. Odum who is now sixty-six years old baked every one of the cakes herself.

Those who attended the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Hey and children who came from West Texas to be present, Mrs. Groves and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton and children and he only son of the aged couple, Mr. R. Odum with his wife and children.

The News wishes this great and happy family many more pleasant reunions. "From scenes like these Old Scotia's grandeur rises."

Widow of Angelo Hughes Weds Again; Hughes Was Killed in Accident Here

Florence King Hughes, star rodeo performer and horsewoman of Fort Worth and Louise E. Fenton of San Antonio are married. This is the announcement that comes from the 101 Ranch in Oklahoma, made by the couple when they stopped there en route to Texas.

Mrs. Fenton, who has appeared in the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show rodeo here many times and is a favorite of the audiences, was appearing in a roundup at Kansas City when she secretly married Fenton. He is a wealthy Osage Indian.

The couple will go to San Antonio for a brief stay with Fenton's parents then will go to Los Angeles to make their home. Mrs. Fenton will enter motion pictures.

Mrs. Fenton is the widow of Angelo Hughes, himself a star rodeo performer and former deputy sheriff at Breckenridge, and who met his death in an automobile accident about two years ago on the Mexia-Groesbeck highway near Mexia. At that time he was residing here.

In July, Mrs. Hughes won many honors at the New York Stampede held at the Yankee Stadium. She was presented with a solid gold pin and a set of gymnastic equipment by the New York Athletic Association for her ability as a trick rider.

Awful Distress Now Relieved

There is perhaps nothing more distressing to people who are bothered with them, and surely nothing as displeasing to others who see them as pimples, blotches, bumps, rash, scrofula, eczema, "breaking out" and similar skin disfigurements.

And now that Black and White Ointment is proving to be so dependable in quickly getting rid of these diseases of the skin, it seems foolish for people to neglect using it, and making themselves attractive to others instead of being slighted all the time.

Any dealer has Black and White Ointment in the convenient, low-priced, liberal packages. The 50c size contains three times as much as the liberal 25c size. (Adv.)

SAN ANTONIO.—Extensive improvements of the Public Service Company's equipment now under way here will soon be completed at a cost of \$100,000. New underground cables is a part of the improvement.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF HALLOWEEN NOVELTIES. WE CAN SUPPLY YOUR NEEDS IN THIS LINE. PEOPLE'S VARIETY STORE, 211 S. SHERMAN ST.

Baptist Women Meet Monday

The Women's Missionary Union of the Baptist church met in its regular fourth Monday meeting at the church October 22, Circle No. 4 rendering the program with Mrs. Hickman as leader.

Subject—"Hospital Work of Southern Baptists."

Song—"The Women's Hymn."

Devotional—Mrs. Shultz.

Prayer—Mrs. McCraw.

"Blessed are the Merciful."—Mrs. Hickman.

"Baptists Hospitals in the South—Especially in Texas."—Mrs. Jennings.

"The Ministration of the Gift."—Mrs. Compton.

Prayer—Mrs. Tidwell.

"Hospital Work in China."—Mrs. Sewell.

Hymn—"The Comforter Has Come."

"Our Woman Physician in Mexico."—Mrs. Ross Walker.

Prayer—Mrs. Tom Day.

The program was followed by a business meeting, after which refreshments were served by Circle No. 5.

Sportlights

By JIMMIE

This week-end brings forth a tight schedule for the Southwest, the Longhorns meet Southwestern at Austin, the Aggies clash with S. M. U. at College Station and the strong Baylor team meets Ouchita at Waco. Looks like this is "stay at home week" with the conference contenders.

Another game that is attracting a good deal of attention is the Centenary-T. C. U. game at Ft. Worth next Saturday. The coaches of both teams are products of Centre College under the wily Charlie Moran and are well known to the football world.

Coach "Doc" Stewart is determined not to let last Saturday's victory harm him in coming games. He is aware of the fact that over-confidence causes more downfalls than any thing else and the team realizes this fact.

Vanderbilt may not oppose the Michigan football team next year because Fielding H. Yost, the Michigan coach, is opposed to intercollegiate contests. The game of Oct. 12 completed the two year contract between the two schools. We cannot blame "Hurry Up" Yost much because last year was a tie game and this year they were not able to cross the Commodore's goal line although they won the game by a field goal. Guess he wants to quit while quitting is good. Vandy is considering replacing the Wolverines with an Eastern team, probably Yale.

Don't forget we have a real football game right here at home next Friday, Oct. 26th, at Nowlin Park, starting at 3:30. The Mexia Black Cats meet the Groesbeck High and all indications point to a real fight.

We were just wondering whether Papyrus will go back to England in a private compartment with maids, etc. as he came over, or will he go back "A La Spark Plug."

DALLAS.—Texas stands thirteenth among the states in mileage of electric railways according to official statistics with 973.69 miles. From 1917 to 1922 twenty-four miles of electric railroad were built in Texas. From 1912 to 1917, 225 miles were built.

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Made of English Broadcloth, collars attached. **\$5**

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A Day Of Special Values

—With the many attractive lines of merchandise so greatly reduced to be found in our—

Dollar Day Offerings---Thursday

Pongee —Tomorrow we are offering a beautiful grade of 36 inch all silk pongee, a very pretty quality; well worth the original price of \$1.50 at per yard. \$1	Outing Flannel —Winter is coming. Children and grown-ups alike will need warm undergarments. Tomorrow we offer a 27-inch good grade outing flannel in assorted colors; 6 yards. \$1	French Gingham —This is a very pretty lot of French gingham; comes in the desired little checks, stripes, and some of the larger plaids. Regularly selling this grade for 50c per yard. Dollar Day very special at 3 yards. \$1
Cotton Crepe —One lot of 36 inch cotton crepe; very pretty for making undergarments. We will reduce this from 50c per yard and place it out as a special for Dollar Day only at 3 yards. \$1	Table Damask —Do you need a new table cloth? Tomorrow we offer several very pretty pieces of table damask originally selling for 75c per yard at 2 yards for. \$1	32-Inch Gingham —One lot of 32 inch gingham, pretty colors, pretty stripes and plaids. Regularly selling at 20c per y.d. Dollar Day special at 8 yards. \$1
Quilt Linings —Time to think of quilting. As a special inducement we are offering for Dollar Day one lot of 36 inch quilt linings in an assortment of patterns originally selling at 25c per yard; tomorrow very special at 5 yards for. \$1	Hope Domestic —You know how good Hope domestic is and what it is worth today. Well, tomorrow, just for one day we sell all you want at 6 yards. \$1	Cotton Checks —We offer for Dollar Day one lot of Cotton Checks for quilt linings at 10 yards for. \$1
Summer Unions —One lot of ladies summer weight union suits; 50c values; Dollar Day, 3 for. \$1	Cretonne —One lot of extra good cretonne; a very complete range of colors and patterns. Be sure that you see this offering if you are in need of draperies. This lot is our 35c and 50c grades. Tomorrow we place it on sale at 4 yards. \$1	Shirts and Blouses —One lot of boys pongee and striped madras shirts and blouses. Mothers, now is the time to supply that boy with all the blouses and shirts that he will need during the school season at a nice little savings. Tomorrow each. \$1
Brown Domestic —A good grade brown domestic, 38-inches wide; reduced and placed on sale Dollar Day at 10 yards. \$1	Misses' and Ladies' Hats —During Dollar Day we are offering any ladies or misses hat selling at \$14.95 and up at a reduction of \$5.00. This includes dress, sport and street hats. For one day only. —In order to get choice selection shop early Thursday morning.	Bleached Sheetting —We are offering this 9-4 bleached sheeting, a good standard grade; worth .60c in any retail store; Dollar Day very special 2 yds. \$1

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Turkish Towels —One big lot of Turkish towels 20 by 40 in sizes, nicely hemmed. These towels originally sold at 65c per pair. Very special for Dollar Day at 5 for. \$1	BLUE SHIRTS —Men's and boys blue work shirts; made well and will wear well; worth 75c each, tomorrow, special at 2 for. \$1	Terry Cloth —One lot of terry cloth for draperies. Reduced from \$1.50 per yard. Very special for Dollar Day per yard. \$1
Bleached Domestic —One lot of bleached domestic, 36-inches wide, worth 18c per yard, very special for Dollar Day only at 8 yards. \$1	MEN'S SOX —One big lot of men's sox in all colors; regularly selling at 15c and 20c per pair; as many as you want; 8 for. \$1	Bloomers —One lot of black sateen bloomers for school wear; made well and of good material. Regularly selling at 50c each; Dollar Day very special 3 for. \$1
Shepherd Check Suiting —A very pretty lot of shepherd check suiting for making skirts and dresses. Reduced from 65c per yard and offered for tomorrow at 3 yards. \$1		Men's Shirts —One lot of men's striped madras shirts; good looking ones at the original price of \$1.50; Thursday very special at each. \$1
Window Scrim —We are offering one lot of inexpensive window scrim which originally sold at 20c per yard for Dollar Day only at 10 yards. \$1		Men's Pongee Shirts —This lot is with collar attached; made of good grade pongee and just a dandy shirt at the special price of each. \$1

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